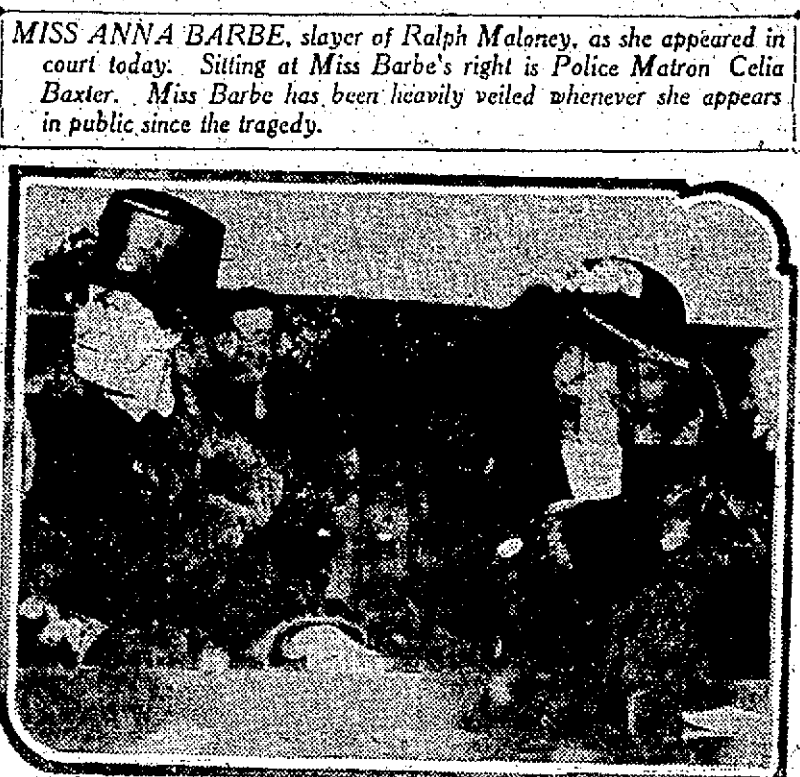


Oakland and vicinity—
Tonight and Wednesday,
probably showers; moderate
wind, becoming southerly.

**HELPERS WILL
RESUME WORK
IN SHIPYARDS**

Vote to Call Off Strike Carries
Proviso That Employers
Agree to Reclassification
in Accord With the Work

Officials of Local Union Say
Shipping Board Sanctions
Demand for \$6.40 a Day;
Fruits of Metal Conference



MISS ANNA BARBE, slayer of Ralph Maloney, as she appeared in court today. Sitting at Miss Barbe's right is Police Matron Celia Baxter. Miss Barbe has been heavily veiled whenever she appears in public since the tragedy.

Subject to arbitration and non-discrimination. The union management of Eastbay shipyards, the striking members of the helper crafts of the Oakland Boilermakers' Union will return to work tomorrow morning.

The vote to call off the strike was taken at a special meeting of the union last night, and carries the proviso that the employers agree to a reclassification of the strikers in accord with their work in the shipyards, together with the pay of journeymen boilermakers—\$6.40 a day—that re-employment of the strikers is not to be tinged by discrimination and that grievances will be arbitrated with W. V. Ansell, organizer for the international here. Officials of the local union assert they have received word from Louis Veyand, acting president of the International Brotherhood of Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders, that the United States shipping board has sanctioned the reclassification demand of the striking helpers.

EXPRESSING DOUBT CONCERNING ORDER.

A. E. Brotherton, labor adjuster for the United States shipping board, the Pacific coast, states he has received no order for the reclassification of the striking helpers. He expresses doubt that such an order has been or will be issued by the board.

Another special session of the union will be held this evening to hear the reply of the employers to their proposals.

Just what action, if any, will be taken by the shipyard management is problematical. As matters stand, the latter contend there is no strike in Eastbay shipyards. They assert the yards are now working under normal conditions, and that they have no strike or other matter to arbitrate. Any committee appointed for such purpose by the boilermakers will, they state be referred to the international for an answer. In other words, the shipyard management will only confer with representatives of the strikers through their accredited representative.

SEL FRUITS OF
MATERIAL CONFERENCE.

Representative leaders of Eastbay organized labor see in the action by the boilermakers last night the first fruits of the conference in Portland of the delegates to the Pacific Coast Metal Trades District Council, an organization having at its closing session yesterday ruled as follows on existing strike:

"Shipyard workers now on strike in any of the cities represented in the conference should participate in the proposed referendum vote on a coast-wide strike except by first returning to their places in the shipyards. At present they stand in the position of contract breakers under the terms of the strike in the northwest."

The referendum to participation in the "proposed referendum vote," is made in connection with the action of the District Council last night in voting to pass along to the various units of the council the matter of calling a coast-wide strike April 1.

At its closing session the following official statement was issued:

"The convention went on record as endorsing the strike in the northwest district, and has sent out for a referendum vote of all local councils within the district on the matter of the general strike, as of April 1, to enforce the original demands that the northwest strike is now out for, expressing full confidence in the representatives who have been handling the situation in the northwest."

"The convention brands as false the statements and insinuations that have been circulated to the effect that the northwest strike was a Bolshevik movement."

"The convention went on record unanimously in favor of establishing a six hour day, in order to make employment for those that are unemployed."

"The convention was at all times controlled by leaders who have the confidence of the workers, and assurance is given that the Pacific coast movement will continue to cooperate with the national and international organizations."

The meeting was brought to a close with the election of officers for the ensuing year. Oakland received representation on the

**NEW MINISTRY
OF ALHUCEMAS
OUT IN SPAIN**

MADRID, Feb. 25.—The Spanish cabinet has resigned, it was announced today.

The Spanish ministry was formed last November by Marquis de Alhucemas.

**U.S. Army of
537,000 Men
Is Proposed**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The senate military affairs sub-committee today agreed to recommend an army of 509,000 men and 28,000 officers as the permanent military force of the country.

The provision was struck out by the House, though appropriations were left for an army of this size.

On the urgent appeal of Secretary of War Baker and Chief of Staff Dyer, the provision was reinserted by the senate committee. The committee hopes to have the bill ready to report by night.

The House today adopted the conference report on the rivers and harbors bill, carrying \$33,000,000.

**Hoover Famine Bill
Signed by President**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—President Wilson today signed the \$100,000,000 appropriation bill which Herbert Hoover asked to relieve famine in Europe. He also signed the invalid pension bill, a measure allowing soldiers, sailors and marines credit on homestead entries while they were in the service, the public buildings bill and the joint resolution set for March 4 a pension to Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt.

**Lottery Suspect Is
Released on Bail**

SAN JOSE, Feb. 25.—Chas. Gee, charged with conducting a lottery, pleaded not guilty when arraigned in police court yesterday. His trial was set for March 4 and he was released on \$100 bail.

Kenneth Cook, 373 South Tenth street, reported to the police last night that his bicycle had been stolen from in front of the house.

The case against George S. Francis, charged with blocking the entrance to a theater, was dismissed by Judge Dougherty yesterday.

**Bonfires to Encircle
World Peace Night**

LONDON, Feb. 25 (via Montreal).—The Overseas Club here is approaching its members in all parts of the globe with a view to their cooperation in securing a world-wide illumination by means of a chain of bonfires on peace night, the night of the signing of the peace treaty.

Executive board in the person of J. H. Powers, former president of Oakland Boilermakers' Union, and present secretary of the Pacific Coast District Council of Boilermakers and Iron Shipbuilders. The roster in full is as follows: President, C. S. Grow of Los Angeles; vice president, F. Russell of Tacoma; secretary-treasurer, A. Barth of Tacoma; members of executive board, C. D. Parquharson of Bellingham, T. Hunt of Los Angeles, J. A. Taylor of Seattle, C. J. Jensen of Portland, A. J. Atwood of San Francisco, J. W. Dow of Olympia, H. W. Fohlman of Tacoma, J. F. Wallace of Astoria, G. W. Macdonald of Aberdeen, E. T. Rogers of Everett, J. H. Powers of Oakland, J. Wallace of Vallejo.

This afternoon's strike matters in general, as affecting the Eastbay district, are being considered at a conference of representative labor, shipbuilding and general business interests. The meeting is being held in Gompers' hall in the labor temple. It was called at the instigation of the Central Labor Council of Alameda county, with a view to concerted action by the delegates to prevent further strikes here except as a case of last resort. The delegates are working in harmony to that end, and it is anticipated the results of the conference will be beneficial to all classes of Eastbay labor and industry.

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**SENSATION IN
BARBE SLAYING
CASE IS HINTED**

"She Will Face Real Trial for Murder," Declares Police
Inspector Drew; New Facts
Are Found, Say Authorities

Relations of Girl With Her
Victim Elsewhere Said to
Be Factor; Elder Maloney
Gives Evidence in Case

Hints of sensational new developments and of disclosures that may change the entire trend of the case, came today when the preliminary hearing of Anna Barbe, the candy salesgirl who declares that to save her honor, she shot and killed Ralph Maloney, was postponed in Police Judge George Samuel's court.

No reason was given for the postponement, the judge himself not knowing what was to develop. Shortly after the postponement, Captain of Inspectors James Drew had a long conference with H. D. Maloney of San Francisco, father of the dead man.

"Anna Barbe is not out of the woods. She will not be freed off-hand. She will face a real trial for murder," said Captain Drew after the conference, at which, he says, Maloney's father, feeling that his son's memory had been done an injustice in the statements made regarding his late daughter, had related new facts.

FORMER RELATIONS
OF COUPLE FACTORS.

It was also learned today that the police have received data from San Jose and Sunnyvale concerning former relations of the girl and the man she says she killed in East Oakland two weeks ago.

Behind the new development in the case are the investigations of Detective William Kyle who insisted at the time on holding the girl's brother, Frank Barbe, as a suspect, believing that he had done the shooting, the girl "confessing" to shield him. Absence of powder marks and finger troubles were clues in the matter.

Barbe had had Maloney, or Page, as he called himself, arrested one month before the shooting, when he told the police that he was trying to protect his girl from a madman, and that Maloney had beaten him when he had tried to oust the suitor from his house. He threatened at the time, say the detectives, to shoot if Maloney bothered his girl again.

"SAYS INSPECTOR DREW."

"You are committing suicide if you go near the Barbe home again," Kyle told Maloney at the time, when he was released with a warning. "Barbe will shoot you on sight if you invade his home and perhaps none would blame him." The detectives say they were "throwing a scare" into the prisoner at the time and that they did not seriously anticipate a shooting.

"The relations of the Barbe girl and Maloney are not as clear as they might be," said Drew. "But there is new evidence that will cast a new aspect on the case which we cannot yet judge as far the girl's story is unbreakeable."

The arraignment of Miss Barbe was postponed until March 5.

Miss Barbe, a heavy veil hiding her face, was taken into court by Mrs. Colin Easton, police matron. Her entrance into the courtroom caused a stir among the spectators who crowded the courtroom, everyone present attempting to get a close view of the self-confessed slayer.

HEAVY VEIL HIDES
FACE FROM SPECTATORS.

As she sat between Mrs. Baxter and her attorney, Philip A. Carey, at the rear of the courtroom, she showed no signs of nervousness, but was calm and impersonal as she looked around the crowded room. The heavy veil she wore hid her face from those seated in the area provided for spectators, but attaches of the court were able to see her smile in a wan manner at her brother, Frank Barbe, and her mother, who were seated near the rail of the public gallery.

A number of club and society women found places in the courtroom and listened sympathetically to the argument between lawyers and judge regarding the postponement. The report said the greater part of the jury signing as the judge gave his decision, as though she was glad that the ordeal the girl must go through could be postponed even for a few days.

**2 Killed; 30 Hurt
in Railway Wreck**

ROCKFORD, Ill., Feb. 25.—Two were killed, thirty seriously wounded and a score more slightly injured when four coaches of the Rockford-bound Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul train, near Joliet, Ill., were struck by a freight train. The freight train, containing about 135 persons, left the rails and crashed over a 45-foot embankment, six miles north of Rockford, at 6:45 last night.

Harry B. Smith, traveling salesman, and C. C. Corcoran, Beloit, division trainmaster of the C. M. & St. P. train, are dead. The cause of the wreck is not definitely known, but is thought to have been a defective rail.

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 25.—Telephone reports reaching the police here today said that one man was killed and twelve injured shortly before noon in a head-on collision of the first section of the Flint Limited on the Detroit Union railroad, leaving Detroit at 9 a. m. today, with a car packed for Oxford, Mich. The report said the greater part of the passengers on the car were Detroiters. The injured were hurriedly placed on another train and rushed to hospitals in Detroit and Flint.

**President's Speech
in Congress Record**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The President's speech of yesterday was ordered printed in the Congressional Record today on motion of Senator Williams of Mississippi. At the Senator's request, parts of the speech were ordered printed in full.

**P. O.-Good Roads
Measure Is Passed**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Final legislative action was taken today on the \$400,000,000 postoffice appropriation bill which carries \$200,000,000 for road construction during the next three years. The Senate adopted the conference report without a record vote and the measure now goes to President Wilson.

**Siberian Casualties
of Allies Sent Home**

VLADIVOSTOK, Friday, Feb. 14. (By the Associated Press).—Thirteen hundred invalid or wounded soldiers, 800 of whom were British and 500 Czechoslovak and Serbians, left here today on board the British steamer Madras for home ports.

**Chicago Wigwag
Site Flame-Swept**

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—The old Wigwag site here, where Lincoln was nominated for President, was swept early today by a \$150,000 fire, which destroyed several buildings.

**REBELLION IN
REPUBLIC OF
CZECHO-SLAVS**

Communists Driven Out of
Public Buildings in Capital
of Bohemia; Coup of Reds
in Baden Is Unsuccessful

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 25.—Sovereign fighting took place all day Sunday in Prague, the capital of Bohemia, in which the national guard and students drove the anti-government communists from public buildings which they had occupied, according to the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin.

(This is the first intimation of a rebellion in the new republic of Czechoslovakia.)

LONDON, Feb. 25.—The attempt of Bavarian Spartacists to organize a revolution in Baden has failed, except at Mannheim. Action of the Baden government which marched government troops into Karlsruhe, arrested radical leaders and proclaimed a state of siege apparently killed the movement.

The Mannheim outbreak, organized by the Bavarian communist leader, Muehsam, was more successful. The Spartacists are in possession of the city.

By ALFRED G. ANDERSON,
International News Service Staff
Correspondent.

BERLIN, Feb. 24, via London, Feb. 25.—Mannheim, an important industrial city in Baden, has been proclaimed a republic by the Spartacists. It is cut off from the outside world. (Baden was declared a republic by the radicals on Sunday.)

All railway traffic into Baden has been suspended. At Karlsruhe, capital of Baden, the Spartacists occupied and fortified the palace and all of the public buildings.

At Mannheim the Workers' and Soldiers' Council decided to form a council of the republic. A revolutionary court has been set up, composed of members of the Workers' and Soldiers' Council.

Dr. Muehsam, former director of the Reichsbank, reported from Mannheim that the Spartacists had taken control of the city.

**SPARTACAN LEADER
IN WESTPHALIA KILLED**

BERLIN, Feb. 25. (By The Associated Press).—Herr Rudolph Spardac, a Spartacan leader in the Bittorf district, in Westphalia, has been killed. Spartacan forces have prevented municipal elections from being held at Dusseldorf. Lively fighting is reported in election precincts.

(Exclusive cable by International News Service and London Daily Express.)

LONDON, Feb. 25.—Forty-four and idle workmen at Munich have been armed by the independents (radicals) and further trouble is inevitable. The Daily Express today says the Daily Express today says: "We are armed and ready for battle," declared Max Lewen, a member of the soviet government at Munich. HOSKINGS' DEATH.

The fifty aristocrats seized as hostages at Munich following the arrest of Prince Ludwig, brother of former King Ludwig, have been informed that they will be shot at once if any attempt is made to restore the monarchy.

Max Lewen, who appears to be the chief Spartacan leader at Munich, was a former professor of zoology. He declared that the Spartacists were ready to fight to impose a minority dictatorship upon Bavaria.

"The soviet demands the arming of all workers and the abdication of the emperor," declared Lewen.

"Victory is ours," declared the Bolshevik leader later in a speech. "Go home, comrades. The soviet lives." After standing still for five minutes Lewen shouted.

DRAMATIC SPEECH
IN DRAMATIC SETTING.

"I stand in Elser's place. Where is my assassin?"

As Lewen spoke his sweetheart, who is also his secretary, stood by his side in a flaming red dress. Lewen is now occupying the palace formerly occupied by Kurt Eisner.

Munich is barricaded and the Landtag building is under an armed guard. Warnings have been issued to the citizens and it is regarded as possible that another outbreak similar to that led by Karl Liebknecht in Berlin may follow.

Armed guards representing the Bavarian republic and the soviet patrol the city simultaneously. Commander Durr declared he would not abdicate until ordered to do so by the Bavarian council.

**Serbia Granted New
Loan of \$15,000,000**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—A new credit of \$15,000,000 for Serbia, authorized today by the treasury, raised Serbia's loans from the United States to \$27,000,000 and from the United States to \$2,674,527,000.

**PEOPLE OF AMERICA APPROVE WORLD LEAGUE, SAYS WILSON;
\$6,000,000,000 REVENUE BILL SIGNED DURING NIGHT**

Sea Rules May Bar Wars in Future
League Frames Check on Contraband
Troops to Return in Order Sent Over

BY UNITED PRESS.
LEASED WIRE TO TRIBUNE.

PARIS, Feb. 25.—American soldiers will return home in the order of the arrival of their respective division headquarters in France, General Pershing announced in general orders made public today. Divisions bearing regular army designations will be excluded, however. The only other exceptions would be made when availability of transportation, in a military situation renders it necessary.

Among those who will return early under this arrangement are many from western states, including California.

Assigned combat, together with supply and labor units, will be returned in the order of their service, so far as they can be spared. The orders estimate that shipping, including German craft, will be available as follows:

March, 212,000 tons.
May, 248,000 tons.
June, 270,000 tons.

ORDER OF RETURN
OF TROOPS INDICATED.

Based on the provisions of the general orders and taking into consideration the importance of their present assignment, divisions would return as follows:

March, 27th, 30th, 35th, 37th and 51st divisions.
April, 26th, 77th, 82d, 25th and 42d divisions.
May, 32d, 33rd, 33d, 80th 78th divisions.
June, 89th, 90th, 29th and 79th divisions.

By exception of so-called regular army divisions, the orders would indicate that those units will be maintained as the army of occupation as long as necessary.

GEORGE WASHINGTON
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The liner George Washington, from which President Wilson landed in Boston, arrived here today with 2337 officers and soldiers. The organizations of the liner include the 14th machine gun battalion complete, 16 officers and 246 enlisted men; fifth engineers and engineers' train, complete, 47 officers and 1666 men; one casual company of New York men, presidential and peace commission music company, and the district of Paris casual company.

Other troop ships due today are the Casaria, with 1697 men; Turrialba, 68 casual officers; Carrillo, 59 men; Heredia, 91 men, and the battleship new Mexico, with a number of casual officers.

**CONTRABAND LISTS
CANNOT BE CHANGED.**

All contraband must be established at the outbreak of the war and lists cannot be changed during the period of hostilities.

3. As carrying contraband naturally is forbidden, the flag of a non-warring nation flying over a ship would be a guarantee that she was not carrying munitions or other prohibited materials.

4. If a ship arouses suspicion and is stopped within a restricted area, search shall be limited to investigation of her papers to determine her nationality.

5. If a ship of a non-warring nation is discovered carrying contraband that nation shall be subject to punishment by the league of nations, economically or otherwise as the executive council recommends.

It is obvious that under such rules no nation will be able to carry on a war beyond the limit of her own production of munitions. The president's plan, which is based on a non-warring power by payment of enormous prices and obtaining shipment through payment of high freight rates with shippers taking the risk, however, would be eliminated by point one, and the nation from which a ship was sailing would ascertain that she carried no contraband, as a measure of self-protection.

REGULATIONS WOULD
ACT AS DETERRENT.

There would be no neutral power in the strict sense, after establishing the league of nations, but assuming that despite the rigidity of the league laws some powers sought to engage in a war, these new regulations would act as a further deterrent. If a belligerent violated the rules governing its movements at sea it would bring upon it the judgment of the league, while violation by a non-belligerent would render the latter an accomplice in war-making.

As the discussion progresses the idea that is constantly brought to the forefront is not to frame rules under which war can be humanely conducted, but to render war impossible.

**Roosevelt Picture
on Bonds Proposed**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Senator Kenyon of the Senate today that the picture of Theodore Roosevelt be placed on securities of the new "Victory Loan."

**FIVE PERISH AS
U.S. SEAPLANE
FALLS INTO SEA**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Loss of the big seaplane No. 495, with three consigns of the naval reserve and two mechanics of the Virginia coast was officially announced by the Navy Department today.

Aboard the plane were Ensigns Stuart McDonald Terrier, Baltimore; Clifford A. Bell, New York City, and Robert F. Dibble, Valley Stream, New York; Chief Machinist Mates Albert H. Hazel, West Rockbury, Mass., and Roy L. Hobdy, Bowling Green, Ky.

The machine started on a flight from Norfolk Sunday and failed to return. A radio operator reported that at 10:30 a. m. a seaplane plunged into the water and disappeared near Fisherman's Island. Search of the coast failed to disclose any trace of the plane and today it was officially given up as lost.

**Ford Charged
With Coercion**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Agents of Henry Ford posed as Department of Justice agents, Red Cross workers and soldiers, and they charged on the Ford-Newberry election in Michigan, Senator Townsend of Michigan charged in the Senate this afternoon.

In some cases, Senator Townsend said, Ford agents went to the clerks of election districts and peddled, asking for tally sheets, giving the impression that they were Department of Justice agents, and that the clerks discovered who the agents were.

"In all districts of Michigan," Senator Townsend said, "Mr. Newberry carried by a normal Republican majority, but when it came to Detroit, in districts that had to be watched—congressional districts—Mr. Ford carried by 30,000."

Senator Fournereau, Ohio, charged that there was an effort being made in the Senate to defeat the resolution calling for an investigation of Newberry's election.

**Marauders Imprisoned
600 Miners in Shaft**

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 25.—Marauders near Essen, according to the Vorwarts of Berlin, yesterday destroyed the air shaft and other outlets of a coal mine and imprisoned 600 miners in the mine. It will be impossible to release the miners for a fortnight.

**Clemenceau Is
Nearing Recovery**

PARIS, Feb. 25.—Premier Clemenceau's wound is now healing rapidly. The attending physicians are now having the greatest difficulty to prevent the aged statesman from walking.

M. Clemenceau declares that he is "all right" and insists upon attending the theater.

The premier himself believes he will be able to resume his full burden of peace work by Thursday.

**Peace Delegate Is
Sent by Ireland**

DUBLIN, Feb. 25.—Sean O'Cealligh, who yesterday presented himself to the peace conference at Paris as an accredited envoy of the Irish republic, was formerly in business here and was secretary of the Gaelic league. O'Cealligh is a member of the Dublin corporation and was recently elected to parliament on the Sinn Fein ticket.

**Wilson's Grandson
Is Named for Him**

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 25.—Woodrow Wilson Sayre is the name bestowed upon the President's latest grandson, born in the Jefferson hospital here Saturday. The baby and his mother, Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, are doing well.

**Members of Cabinet Make
Reports on Domestic Situation
at First Meeting With
Executive in 13 Weeks**

**Many Telegrams Sent to
White House Praise President
for Stand in Favor
of League of Nations**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Senator Martin, Democratic leader today, asked President Wilson to call an extra session of Congress March 15. Martin disclosed this fact at a hearing on the \$750,000,000 appropriation bill. He said he told the President it would be impossible to pass this and other appropriation bills before the end of the present session.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—President Wilson today stated he was "confident that the people of the country will rally with practical unanimity to the support of the league of nations."

The President expressed this belief in a telegram to Theodore E. Burton, president of the League of Nations Union, New York City.

The telegram read:

"Your message was greatly appreciated. Am myself confident that the people of the country will rally with practical unanimity to the support of the league of nations plan in which the whole world is looking to them to be the leaders."

Emphasis on the President's message was practically the President's first act upon returning to his office. It was in reply to a message from Burton pleading support of the league.

FRANCE ON MARCH 5

The President desires to leave France again on March 5, Secretary Tumulty stated, and is making plans to depart on all executive business by that time.

Burton's telegram follows:

"League of Nations Union, merging World Court League and American League for Peace, welcomes you as recognized leader of league of nations movement and pledges cooperation in rallying public opinion and action in support of the league."

Other telegrams pledging support and expressing the belief that the country will approve the league of nations plan, were received by the White House. Some particularly praised the President's speech at Boston yesterday. The President was at his desk shortly after 10 o'clock.

**PRESIDENT SIGNS
REVENUE BILL**

President Wilson signed the \$6,000,000,000 revenue bill before leaving last night. It was officially announced today.

The measure, besides providing for greatly increased taxes on incomes, profits and many of the every day articles of consumption, also makes the national capital a dry city.

Income tax blanks have been mailed out and the operation of many provisions of the law will get under way at once.

President Wilson's return to Washington completed a trip unique in history. Since his departure from home last December, the President has traveled over 12,000 miles, has been a guest in the homes of 1500 cities, towns and hamlets in Europe; has been housed in the royal palaces of two kings and one prince, has ridden on the royal trains of two ruling monarchs, delivered nearly two-score of speeches and short addresses and received six college and university honorary degrees.

He returns to the capital intent on convincing Congress of the need of American participation in a league of nations.

The President met with his cabinet today for the first time in thirteen weeks. Each department head had a report on conditions ready for his attention. Chief among these were the financial and labor situations, as well as future army and navy plans, the railroads and reconstruction work in general.

Secretary of Labor Wilson is anxious that the President reserve at least one day of his short stay for a conference with governors and city officials on the unemployment situation and the general industrial unrest.

About a dozen bills passed in Congress were on his desk for approval. There was a mass of personal mail and other communications which had been accumulating since he sailed from France, but he planned to clean this up rapidly.

Serious important positions must be filled within the next few days, chief among them being a successor to Attorney General Gregory. In addition, he will fill vacancies on the Interstate Commerce Commission, the Federal Trade Commission and the Federal Reserve Board.

Conferences with party leaders, have been reserved for tomorrow as the Democratic national committee meets here and probably will choose a chairman. Wednesday evening also has been set aside for the dinner with the congressional foreign relations committees to explain article by article the constitution of the league of nations.

Thursday the President will march in and review from a stand in front of the White House a parade for returning fighters.

Arrangements have been completed for the President to keep in closest touch with the peace conference. Almost instantaneous communication with the American delegation will be maintained.

**Ludendorff Leaves
Swedish Territory**

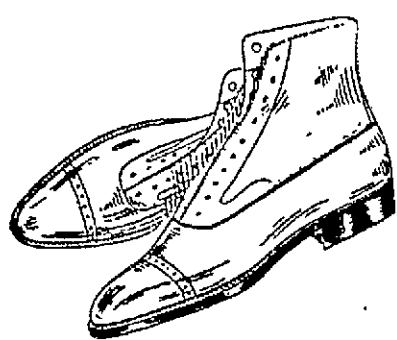
LONDON, Feb. 25.—General Ludendorff, former quartermaster general of the German army, left Sweden for Germany on Sunday night, according to a Stockholm dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. His intention to stay in Sweden expired Sunday.

**Pennsylvania Joins
List of Dry States**

HARRISBURG, Pa., Feb. 25.—Pennsylvania joined the list of prohibition states today, when the Senate, by a vote of 29 to 16, passed the resolution ratifying the proposed amendment to the constitution. The House passed the resolution several weeks ago.

**Senate Committee for
Sheppard Dry Bill**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—With Senator King, Democrat, Utah, dissenting, the senate judiciary subcommittee today voted to report favorably the Sheppard bill to enforce war-time prohibition. The subcommittee struck out the provision making owners of buildings liable for violations by tenants.



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CHINA FEELS GRATEFUL FOR U.S. ATTITUDE

PEKING, Friday, Feb. 21.—(By The Associated Press)—China is very grateful to President Wilson and the United States delegates to the peace conference for the help they have extended to our delegates in Paris," said Premier Chin Nan-Hsun today. "The whole Chinese nation wishes to thank the United States through The Associated Press."

The premier said he was much gratified over the election of Wellington Koo, Chinese ambassador to the United States, to a place on the commission for a league of nations, and added that China was ready to take whatever part might be assigned to her.

"China intends to publish all secret agreements made during the war, even commercial engagements and the China-Japanese convention," he said.

"Of course," he continued, "China expects the powers to disclose any secret agreements they have made among themselves concerning China."

No trouble over this step is expected, since Japan no longer strongly objects and there are no disagreements between China and Japan, so far as the Chinese government is aware, the premier asserted. Referring to Japan's expressed displeasure over the attitude of the Chinese delegates in Paris, he declared that China, "knowing that America and Great Britain supported her, took the golden opportunity of standing on her own feet and resisting pressure applied from the outside."

WOMEN DEANS' DUTY.
CHICAGO.—Twenty-one deans of women denounced women's clothing as consisting largely of designs. They decided co-eds must wear garments less open to criticism and—er—weather.

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Polish Envoys Are Shot at Moscow Paderewski Tries to Quit as Premier Trotzky's Coat Stolen by 'Comrade'

BY UNITED PRESS.
LEASD WIRE TO TRIBUNE.
WARSAW, Feb. 25.—The president of the Polish diet announced today that Premier Paderewski offered his resignation yesterday, but that General Pilsudski had begged him to remain in office.

WARSAW, Feb. 25. (By The Associated Press)—"We must fight the traitorous Poles to the last soldier," this is the slogan of Leon Trotzky, Russian Bolshevik minister of war, sent from the Perm front to the Smolensk-Minsk headquarters, when troops have been ordered to advance on Moscow.

Trotzky is anxious to give the Poles what he terms a "lesson," as he especially hates Paderewski.

It is just revealed that prior to Paderewski's becoming premier the members of the Polish legion in Moscow were arrested and some shot. When the Warsaw government protested, the Moscow government refused.

"We are surprised. We thought we were doing you a favor by locking up your bourgeois representatives," Trotzky has assumed an exalted military attitude, assembling about him commissaries whom he treats as marshals. He holds frequent interviews, sometimes riding on horseback wearing a high sheepskin cap and calling out to the men:

"Good morning, my little soldiers."

Whereupon they reply:

"Good morning, comrade!"

STEALS TROTZKY'S COAT.

These close relations, however, did not prevent one of his comrades from stealing Trotzky's cable.

DEATH DISCLOSES WIFE'S SACRIFICE

Death has closed the final chapter in the tragic story of Lieutenant Frank H. Nellis, stationed at the Presidio, and his wife, Mrs. Alice Nellis, who served a term in the San Francisco county jail.

With full military honors the young lieutenant will be buried tomorrow. Two months ago his wife was buried in the north, offering her life as sacrifice as a Red Cross nurse in the fight against the Spanish influenza epidemic. The mystery which has surrounded the disappearance of Mrs. Nellis, following her discharge from the county jail, has been cleared by the official board of inquiry which went through Lieutenant Nellis' papers.

While living with Lieutenant Nellis, Mrs. Alice Nellis obtained money in answer to matrimonial advertisements which she inserted and which at the sensational trial two witnesses from Colorado swore was sent to pay her fare to Colorado for the purpose of matrimony. She was convicted on the charge of obtaining money under false pretense. She served her sentence. Then Mrs. Nellis dropped from sight.

Lieutenant Nellis remained in the service but withdrew from all necessary contact with his fellow officers. Grief crushed him. He became an epidemic victim and died of double pneumonia. Even when vindication of his wife was found in the instant sacrifice which she made two months ago, he offered no explanations.

That Mrs. Nellis saved many lives in Harney county before giving her own and that her name will always be remembered with gratitude by its citizens is the testimony which has been offered by Charles D. Slinson, wealthy lumberman in Seattle, ex chairman of the Northwestern Division of the American Red Cross. By a letter from Slinson found among Lieutenant Nellis' papers, the fate of his wife was discovered.

OWNER OBTAINS \$20,000 IN GEMS

Mrs. Josephine McAllister, who lost valuable gems at the St. Francis hotel in San Francisco last week and who failed to claim them immediately after the recovery of the jewels by the San Francisco police, is today in possession of her property.

Mrs. McAllister's sister, Mrs. Franklin Noah Dewey of Alameda, said this morning that Mrs. McAllister had obtained her jewels, having complied with certain formalities required by the police. One report yesterday was that she had applied for the jewels and failed to get them, and another report was that she had identified the jewels, but made no effort to reclaim them.

Mrs. Dewey set at rest conflicting reports by saying that the incident was a case beyond of prospect investigation by the St. Francis management and the San Francisco police as to how the jewel bag disappeared from Mrs. McAllister's possession in the first place. Several hundred dollars in currency, which was in the bag, was not recovered and was evidently stolen by the thief who carried the bag to another part of the hotel and rifled it of the money, leaving the jewels there. Her jewels are said to be worth \$20,000.

Mrs. McAllister is en route to New York City, from a visit with her parents in Portland, Ore.

Undertaking Firms Combine Interests

Papers were filed today for the incorporation of the undertaking establishment of E. Brown & Co., Roach & Kenney, firms that have conducted business here for many years. Each of the members has been active in public and fraternal affairs. The new corporation is organized for the purpose of providing service. The principal place of business after March 1 will be at 2630 Telegraph avenue, Oakland. There will be a branch at 2414 Grove street, Berkeley.

Suspect to Be Sent South for Hearing

Arthur L. Schupp, alias Arthur L. Stewart, arrested here as a burglar suspect following the discovery in his possession of a shirt, kit of burglar's tools, will be taken to Los Angeles to face a burglary charge. He was identified last night as a man wanted by the police of the southern city. Los Angeles notified the Oakland department that an officer will be sent here to receive him.

cently during a halt, when the war minister was enjoying his usual sumptuous meal.

Trotzky, who has of late assumed more power than ever, had a fierce quarrel with Nikolai Lenin, Bolshevik premier, regarding the proposed Princess Island conference. He strongly opposed this conference, but Lenin prevailed. Lenin desires to preserve Bolshevism at any cost, and also to keep in as far as possible with the allies, in the belief that Bolshevism will sweep the world.

Sverdloff, of the general executive committee of the Council of Workers and Soldiers' Delegates, has been playing mediator between Trotzky and Lenin and has been engaged at Vilna, Minsk and other points in urging the Bolshevik officers to cease their crimes and keep a semblance of order, as reports of murder and pillage are reaching the "capitalistic press."

BUILDS UP ARMY.

Meanwhile Trotzky is continuing to build up an army, which is now estimated at 600,000 men. He is supposed to have ammunition for six months. Trotzky manages to keep the cloth factories working on uniforms, although handicapped by lack of coal and much wood is being used. Another handicap is transportation difficulties. There are only two trains a week to Bakuovitch with a first class coach for soviet delegates and third class or freight cars for the others.

In the Red army are special corps of women whom Trotzky is endeavoring to win over to his cause, although up to the present the women have proved its bitterest enemy, due to the Bolshevik plans to suppress marriage.

The commissaries are attempting to employ many women in the ministries and other offices, but the majority of them leave soon. A light against religion is going on. Moscow's celebrated church of St. Basil has been closed. The statue of Our Lady of Iverskila is covered by a cloth on which is printed: "Religion is opium for the people."

Social conditions are very serious, and medical students have been mobilized to treat serious cases of disease.

STARVED HORSES EATEN.

Forty pounds of wheat flour is being sold at Moscow for eight hundred rubles and sugar is fifty rubles a pound, with both commodities virtually unobtainable. Starving horses, which fall in the streets as stripped of their flesh before they are cold. Money is of little value, and jewels and works of art bring little when traded. Trading in these lines is therefore infrequent. In order to get food a trader must offer clothes. Women refugees from Moscow were recently held up at Smolensk, it is said, and their clothing was stolen, but the soldiers declined to make a beautiful pearl necklace, so that its owner was able to sell the necklace here.

Fuel is so scarce that wooden houses in the suburbs have been torn down for fuel. Fine furniture has also been used for the same purpose. Stores have been closed by merchants, but the Soviet government has taken over some of the larger places of business where only Bolsheviks are served. Flower shops and hair dressers do a fine business, about thirty of these places being open.

Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevik minister of war and marine, who is fastidious and has a special lady maid, patronizes them.

Nikolai Lenin, the Bolshevik premier, who is considered quite mad by some of his colleagues, is the only prominent Bolshevik left who appears to live an austere life.

Vodka substitutes are being used and having a weakening effect on the people.

Kerosene and benzine are reported to be common drinks. The large number of deaths in Moscow has led to a decree making the undertaking business a state monopoly.

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McElroy Released on Bonds in \$500

Henry McElroy, Oakland realtor, who was arrested in a raid on his home 615 Sixth street, February 8, by Provost Marshal Cole, charged with supplying whiskey to Roy Mathes, sailor at Mare Island, was arraigned before Federal Judge Dooling today and his case continued two weeks to plead. He was released on bail of \$500.

New Thought Alliance Conference

The first semi-annual Oakland-San Francisco conference of the International New Thought alliance will be held at Hotel Club hall in Oakland Saturday afternoon and at the Palace Hotel ball room Sunday afternoon. The

Victim of Robber Put Under Arrest

John Gill, a guest of the Raymond hotel, San Francisco, was held up and robbed of a small amount of money and jewelry at Sixth and Harrison streets at 7 o'clock last night.

Gill called for help and Patrolman Edward O'Donnell, responding, caught a man who gave the name of Fred Peterson, as he was running away from the scene of the holdup. The personal property of Gill was found in the possession of the robber.

Gill, who had been drinking, was arrested on a charge of being drunk.

Hours will be 12 to 1, 2 to 5 and 8 to 11 o'clock in Oakland and 2 to 5 and 8 to 11 in San Francisco. Speakers will include Harriet McCollum, Rev. Thomas Boyd and others.

Organized Labor Worker Is Candidate

Stanton W. Lore, who has long been identified with the interests of organized labor in this city, has announced his candidacy for the office of commissioner No. 1, which is held at present by H. B. Edwards. In making an appeal for the support of electors during the coming campaign, Lore calls attention to his efforts through the labor newspaper with which he is connected and as an individual in promoting the interests of the war saving "stamp drive. He says that the people he represented during the drive came out nearly 100 per cent strong for that patriotic movement. In addressing the public concerning his candidacy Lore says:

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Sale of Linens Linen Cloth—M. Buds of Damask for Cloths, Napkins, Towels, etc., many below regular this week.	White Goods Sale Longcloth, Lingerie, Nainsook, Voile, Swiss and Novelty White Skirtings in Special Home Sewing Week Sale.

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MORE DEATHS IN TRANSBAY CRIME WAVE

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—Victim of a mysterious shooting in which he was taken by his assailant for a footpad, Morgan Holmes, engine foreman for the Southern Pacific Company, residing at 957 Mission street, died this morning. The man who is said to have shot him, Harold J. Deamoinaux, formerly of Seattle, now of the Hotel Woodrow, this city, was charged with murder. The shooting took place Sunday morning at 5 o'clock in front of No. 224 Ellis street, and the only account of it the police have was given them by Deamoinaux, no other witnesses having been found. Deamoinaux declares he had been held up a few moments before the shooting by two men and robbed of \$90, being roughly handled during the process. As he emerged from a partial daze he caught sight of Holmes and followed him to the footpad. He drew his revolver and fired at Holmes, the one bullet proving fatal today.

The capture of Deamoinaux in a running battle with the police, for he had gone two blocks from the shooting, was effected by Detective Joseph Bruders who, with other members of the morals squad, was watching supposed "redlight" houses in the neighborhood. Deamoinaux fired three shots at Bruders before he was taken, two of them passing through Bruders' clothing. Deamoinaux was run down at Mason and Ellis streets.

ALBERT FISCHKELLER FATAL. Albert Fischkeller, 664 Shotwell street, died this morning from the effects of the shot fired at him in his own residence by a robber one night a week ago. Fischkeller had been taken to the emergency hospital since the shooting. His son, Albert Fischkeller Jr., is believed to have a chance for recovery. The elder Fischkeller closed with the burglar as the latter was making his escape and was joined in the attack by his son, 17 years of age. The burglar finally shook both men from him, fired deliberately first at one and then the other and made his escape. No clue to him has been found.

INJURIES LAID TO THUG ATTACK

Investigation of the mysterious injuries sustained by William J. Kinney, 1212 Broadway, is continuing today by the Oakland police, following what is believed to have been a footpad's attack. Kinney was found unconscious in a doorway in lower Broadway, with a clipped watch chain and empty pay envelope of the Hercules Powder Works Inc. The man was removed to the Emergency Hospital today. He has not been able to give a coherent account of what occurred. Robert Wray, a taxi cab driver, 1212 Broadway, is recovering from a severe bruise on his head sustained last night when two strangers, who entered his cab, attacked him, beating him severely and then robbing him. The robbery occurred at Fourth and Broadway streets, where the two men had asked to be driven. They took \$5 and a watch from the automobile man and escaped. Wray was taken to the Emergency Hospital by the police.

Foreign Trade Is

Open to Bay Firms

Opportunities for local business men to build up a good business with foreign concerns are reported to be many, according to the manufacturers' association of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, which has received from the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce a list of foreign firms with which American merchants and manufacturers can make connections. The list includes machinery dealers, iron and steel importers in Australasia; lumber importers, Peru; automobile importers, Dutch East India, China, etc.

Mrs. Downey Is

Victim of Paralysis

The funeral of Mrs. Kathryn Downey, wife of John C. Downey, former president of the Merchants' Exchange, took place this morning from a local undertaking parlor. Although Mrs. Downey had been ill for some months, her death came unexpectedly, following a stroke of paralysis. Mrs. Downey is survived by her husband, John C. Downey, her mother, Mrs. Kate Henry, and two brothers, Matt Henry and Richard Henry. She was the step-mother of John C. Downey Jr., now with the colors in France. Harry Houghton and Mrs. Raymond Clinch of Grass Valley.

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BLUE BIRD BUREAU OF THE TRIBUNE

To be only eight years old and apparently maimed for life is the prospect in store for a little dark-eyed girl living in Oakland unless the many good fellows who help day after day come to her assistance. She is happy for she doesn't realize as yet how long life is or how hard even when one starts with no drawbacks. Then she has a mother and father to help her, but these things right now are not as important as proper medical attention and a delicate operation.

Some time ago, when she lived in Honolulu, she was knocked down and a wagon ran over her arm, breaking it just a few inches below the shoulder. Either the doctors were not experts or else she was not given the proper care, for the bone never knit. Her parents spent what money they had for medical aid, and even went into debt, but to no avail, the bone would not heal. Her little arm, which has gotten thin, "dangles" from the shoulder and is rapidly becoming useless. The bone broken in two pieces, is getting smaller and smaller and soon it will be too late to even attempt an operation.

One of the "good fellow" doctors who works out at Oakland's clinic, donating their services for the sake of giving, says he can make this little arm crippled again. He says he can start this child on the way to useful and helpful womanhood if he can take her to a hospital soon and give her the care she needs. If he had gone to the hospital, she would be hopeless, and as her folks cannot afford to pay the hospital bill, the

Both Charge "Other" Love Affairs Neighbors Tell of Hugging, Kissing

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 25.—The story of a reconciliation that failed through alleged attention of both husband and wife for other women and men was related in the Los Angeles Herald-Examiner since the shooting. His son, Albert Fischkeller Jr., is believed to have a chance for recovery. The elder Fischkeller closed with the burglar as the latter was making his escape and was joined in the attack by his son, 17 years of age. The burglar finally shook both men from him, fired deliberately first at one and then the other and made his escape. No clue to him has been found.

AWFUL SWEET VERSE.

A letter received by Mrs. Spurlin October 9, 1918, while she was at a mountain resort after a quarrel and the reconciliation had been effected, was included in the program "for cello alone."

WIFE PLAYS SLEUTH.

Within a month after the receipt of this letter, Mrs. Spurlin said she found a note at the house, signed by Spurlin, saying that he was leaving, as he had discovered she had been intimate with other men.

How she played detective and watched

her husband enter the home of Mrs. Mitchell and remain there till after 1 or 2 o'clock in the morning was described by Mrs. Spurlin. She stated that she had received an anonymous letter, presumably from some one in the Mitchell neighborhood, suggesting that she could procure abundant evidence of Spurlin's alleged clandestine meetings with the "other woman."

Shut-out, who said he was employed

at a creamery, necessitating his being at work by 4 o'clock in the morning, said he often passed the Mitchell house and saw Spurlin's car outside at that hour and that he had seen the couple arrive many times. He said he had heard Mrs. Mitchell's children refer to Spurlin as "dad."

Mrs. Mitchell took the stand

in support of the charge that Spurlin and Mrs. Mitchell went to San Diego together. She said that from her house she was able to see them in the Mitchell house "hugging and kissing."

Joint Taxes for U. S.

and State Proposed

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 25.—Brief sessions of both the senate and assembly marked the resumption of the forty-third biennial legislature.

A resolution by Senator Gates urging Congress to provide for collection of all inheritance taxes by the federal government and the payment of 50 per cent of the amount collected to the state in which the tax was levied was re-referred to the committee on federal relations, at Gates' request, when it was called up for consideration.

A resolution urging enactment by Congress of bills to create a federal department of education and to appropriate \$100,000,000 for state aid in education work was introduced in the assembly by Mrs. Hughes. No bills were introduced in either house today.

Senate Ventilation

System Criticized

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Appealing for action to purify the sphere in the Senate chamber, Senator Owen of Oklahoma said he believed the poor ventilating system had contributed greatly to the mortality among members of the Senate. He pointed out that in eleven years 36 members had died during office, while 23 others had died after retiring, and declared his belief that their health had been impaired by impure air in the Senate chamber.

"I think the Senate is suffering from heat stroke," said Senator Thomas of Colorado, as Senator Owen concluded.

Mrs. Furey in Auto

Stands Off Sleuth

When a wife "steals" her husband's auto it's no time for a policeman to interfere, and especially if her name's "Furey."

So opines Detective Lou Agnew. Agnew went forth in search of the "stolen" auto of H. Furey of 1430 Park street, Alameda, alleged to be stolen in Oakland. He found the machine with Mrs. Furey driving it.

She refused to return it, said her husband could sue and threatened the detective with dire legal troubles if he interfered.

"By all means," said Agnew, "let the civil courts settle the matter."

CASALS MASTER OF NOBLE 'CELLO

(BY ROY HARRISON DANFORTH.) Pardon a title statistical introduction to Pablo Casals, but there are not many violinists. Their exact number is not given in the latest census. If they were all red and the pianists, for instance, all white, they would not color the mass the palest pink. So it is little of a compliment to call Mr. Casals the "greatest cellist." He is one of the great interpretative artists and his medium of expression happens to be this big brother of the violin. Play it that there are not more cellists. In the range of instrumental philosophy none speaks a nobler, more elegant or more expressive language than he. None is more worthy of the musical earnestness or the intelligent refinement of this artist. The very fact of his adherence to the cello—his is also an accomplished violinist—colours him and his instrument with the estimation.

HAS RANGE AND CONTROL.

It profits little to dissect the excellence of Mr. Casals' playing into its organs and dimensions. His attack varies from the force of a bayonet thrust to the gentleness of a mother with her babe, and the extremes of this dynamic range are no less under his control than the intermediate variations. I have never heard a cello player so capable of modulating force as he.

And from a truly startling fortissimo down to a softness that a man will hold his breath to hear, the purity and warmth of his tone never fail. There were moments when the A string lost a trifle in sonority, but that Mr. Casals depended upon this changing vibrator precisely for the strident effect it gave could easily be believed. His technique is ever certain and finished, and for persons who are used to cellos performing this proficiency is at times most illuminating.

In his playing, for instance, of the Bach suite in C major, one of the group of six suites for the violoncello that the master composed, and which are woefully seldom heard because of that noted shortage of cellists, limited to write in the program "for cello alone."

He needed no accompaniment. The difficulties of double stopping and triple stopping were not at times playing even greater than triads, and his instrument tenor range, an entire octave and a half below the cello, accompanied such passages as these in the prelude and the glissé may be imagined, but his ease and grace would have to be watched to indicate the real marvel of it.

SUPERB LYRIC GRACE.

His lovely tone, especially that pianissimo tenderness that so well suits upon the silver strings of the cello, is not upon the two lower ones, was an exquisite medium for parts of the Handel sonata that opened the program. The sarabande therein conveyed an accurate impression of the whole.

His lyric grace could not be exceeded. Nor was the splendor of the succeeding Saint-Saens concerto (in A) one what slighted. The striking finish of the rendition was of numerous components, but his musiciansly quality and his excellent sense of tone-color combinations with the piano and the spirit and fire of his execution. Will Garaway, his accompanist, gave best demonstration of his quality in this number, but he failed in none of the others to create a warm admiration.

The closing group included a tenderly-played and by Jean Yve, "Pavane" (Pavillons), and two David Popper numbers that permitted the artist opportunity for a most brilliant display.

This was the third attraction of the Artists' Concert series under the auspices of the music section of the Oakland Teachers' Association. There was an audience hardly of Hoffman dimensions, but of good size at that, and lavish in its applause.

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HONOR MEMORY OF REV. G. W. HENNING

Rev. George William Henning, a newspaperman and minister of California in earlier days, was buried yesterday at San Jose following his death Saturday. He was 75 years old. In the 60's he was editor of The California Granger, published at San Jose. Later he was editor and part owner of the Napa Register, editor of the San Jose Times, and a writer for the San Francisco Chronicle.

In 1863 he was admitted to the California Methodist Episcopal church conference and he devoted his early life to preaching the gospel in the mining camps and frontier posts.

C. O. Wilkins, master of the San Jose Lodge, Free and Accepted Masons, Third Degree, and he devoted his early life to preaching the gospel in the mining camps and frontier posts.

He was born in 1843 at Lexington, Mo., and in the same state received his early education. Following his acceptance of the doctrines of the M. E. church, South, at the age of 18, he entered Pacific College to prepare for the ministry.

At the outbreak of the Civil War he came to California with his parents. He studied ancient languages at Santa Clara College and was later admitted to the California M. E. conference.

In 1864 he married Caroline H. Newkirk, a daughter of pioneers. Following his transfer to the Kansas conference in 1878 he filed charges at Lawrence and Topeka. He retired later, due to defective eyesight but, nevertheless, occupied pulpits at Oakland and Santa Rosa, before returning from the east, and while still practically sightless, he spent much of his time in writing the unexpurgated.

Surviving are a widow, Caroline H. Henning, and these five children: Mrs. William C. Mayne of Stockton, A. W. Henning of Oakland, W. F. Henning and Mrs. Edward H. Grant of San Jose, and Mrs. Edward Barrett of Oregon. His only brother, W. F. Henning, is a Los Angeles lawyer of prominence, the author of numerous legal reference works.

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To introduce our new bread we will give FREE a trial loaf with every \$3.00 purchase of groceries

Libby's Deviled Meat, 25c

6 cans 15c

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S. & W. Mince Clams, 25c

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Arco Corn Starch, 25c

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Thelma Pork and Beans, only a few cases left, per can 5c

Sweet Potatoes, reg. 20c 15c

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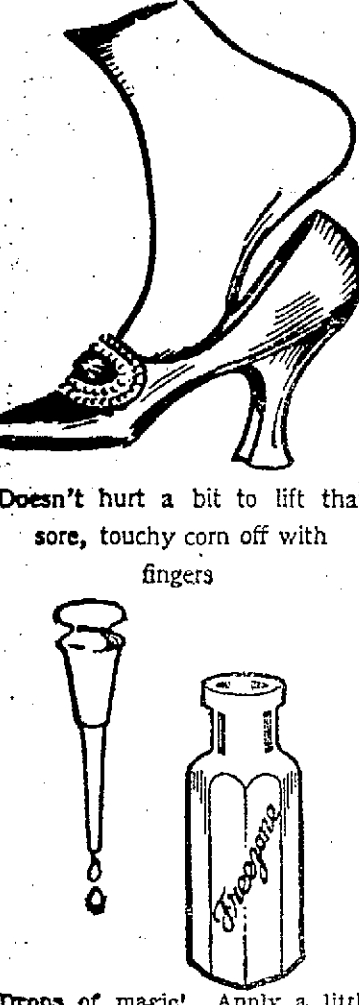
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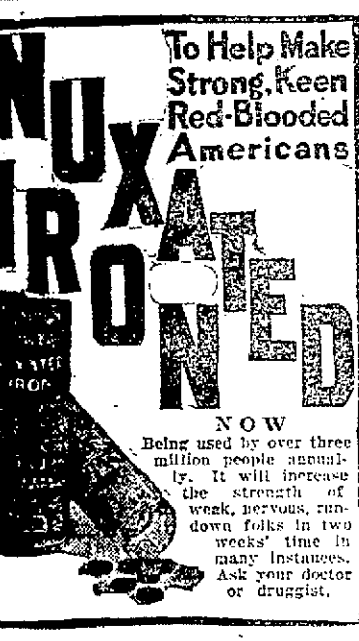
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 Boys' gunmetal button and
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NO MORE CATARRH
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Club Women to Have Most Active Week

By GEORGIA G. BORDWELL
This week fairly bristles with important club events. Today the Berkeley Federation of Mothers' Clubs held their annual reciprocity luncheon, the luncheon which though held in 1919, rightfully belongs to 1918.

INTERESTING WOMEN
ATTEND MRS. SHORT'S TEA
In compliance with the members of her administration, Mrs. J. George Short, past president of the Oakland Federation of Mothers' Clubs will be hostess at a reception next Thursday afternoon between the hours of 2 and 4:30.

NEW BUREAU FOR SOCIAL SERVICE UNDER WAY
The bureau for social service for the Convention of Oakland is an abstract thing, and it is an interesting fact that such a bureau is the outgrowth of the war work undertaken by the women of the Episcopal churches during the war.

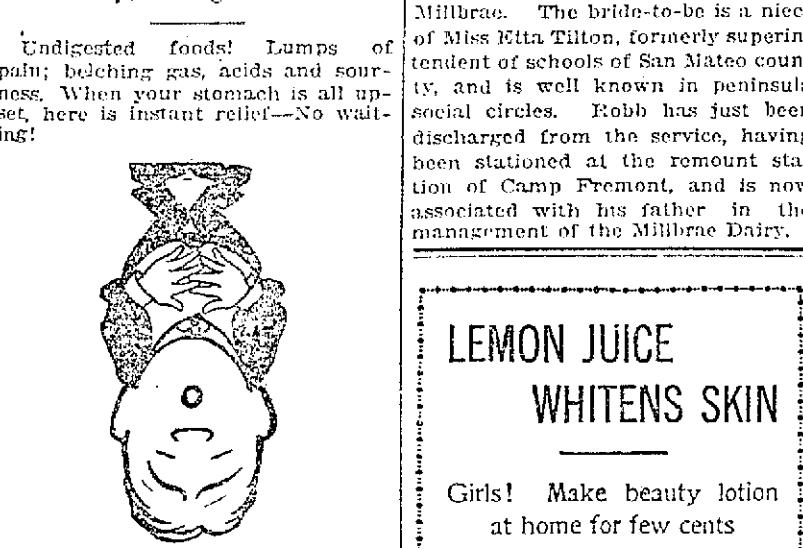
ATHLETIC CLASS FOR CHILDREN STARTED
A children's class is the latest addition to the gymnasium at the Young Women's Christian Association, which Mrs. Allene Wolfe is the director.

MRS. FREDERICK SEYDEL has taken possession of one of the delightful houses at Fort Winfield Scott, where her husband, Major Seydel, is stationed, and is planning to entertain the younger set at a series of charming affairs during the season.



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Pape's Diapiesin At Once Ends Sourness, Gases, Acidity, Indigestion



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WOMEN JOIN STATE'S ANTI-VICE CRUSADE

The army, government agencies and women of the state are making a determined assault on the state legislature in an anti-vice crusade to clean up California.

Military lobbyists, headed by Major Stanley F. Coar, have joined issue with the Women's Legislative Council of California, representing more than 90,000 members, under the leadership of Mrs. Albert B. Carter of this city, to pass through the legislature a bill appropriating \$250,000 for the establishment of a state industrial farm for delinquent women. It was a coincidence that the federal program adopted against vice and carried on by military authorities should be identical with the organized women of the state. With the California Federation of Women's Clubs, the California Congress of Mothers, the State W. C. T. U. and other state-wide bodies of importance agreeing last fall on legislation that should provide a refuge and training home for the women whom vice has wrecked, it has developed that the national military plans for the protection of the soldier and sailor include a similar FURNISH AMMUNITION FOR BILLS SUPPORTERS.

Oakland and San Francisco are furnishing ammunition for the arguments of the proponents of the Renshaw bill. The series of vice raids which are being conducted in this city and across the bay is a factor in revealing to the legislature the present conditions and giving logical reason for the passage of the measure. San Francisco tenderloin was thrown into confusion last Sunday morning by the first of the invasions of the military authorities. While the bill is distinctly the Women's Legislative Council legislation, it has the full support of Major Coar and his corps of federal workers.

Women leaders, including Mrs. Carter, and Major Coar, after a canvass of the members of the legislature, believe that a majority are looking favorably toward the passage of the measure.

Opposition is being developed in Oakland and quantities of literature is being sent broadcast opposing the contemplated social hygiene work, which has the sanction of the army and navy authorities and womanhood of California, on the grounds that the sums of money to be expended will condemn the women and protect the men. A woman physician in Piedmont is said to be the leader of the insurgents.

ARGUMENTS ALONG SAME OLD LINE.

"Her arguments against the social health program," declares Mrs. Helen Sweet Artieda, executive secretary of the Public Welfare League of Alameda County, which is lobbying for the passage of the Renshaw bill, "are along the same old lines and on the same basis. Much of her criticism is well founded and her fund of information is tremendous. She is supported by some of the British societies and bases her claims largely on work which was done in England and India follow-

Mardi Gras Court Rehearses Prizes Are Offered for Costumes

By LAURA BRIDE POWERS.

Last night, her Gracious Majesty, Queen of Beauty (Mrs. Charles Clarke Keeney), in a scarlet robe quite worthy of the crown, summoned the line of courtiers to the Hall of Bubbles, there to rehearse the stunts that His Highness, King Cheero (senior Judge Henry A. Keeney), shall decree on the glad night of March 4, when all the world and his wife, who dwell on the landside of the blue bay, will meet in the Rue de France on his way to the Hall of Joy.

When the heralds marched their up to the stage last night, Miss Olive Carter and her conferees, they brought to the throne of beauty the scintillant Court of Jewels, and the Seven Arts and all the gleeful dancing myriads of joy that people the world of Bonanza. They were all there last night, each in his part like a bit of color in a lovely crazy quilt of childhood memory.

Porter Garnett's little masque was given the premiere—Judge Melvin and Witter Eyster the spokesmen for the phantasy.

But the greatest and, incidentally, the rarest charm of the thing is its brevity. Mardi Gras crowds aren't crazy about speeches, but they are crazy about being brief, the lines are clever, and they get over.

But the pulchritude of the court, acclaimed last night, by the multitude, that will hang the wreath of victory upon the collective brow of color in the Lake—the pulchritude of the court and its sumptuous accoutrement.

FINAL REHEARSAL.

Thursday night the final rehearsal will be staged, with the cabaret featuring the night and possibly again Saturday night.

And Saturday night, little Bohemia will again take flight from the foot of Telegraph Hill and wherever the Spirit of Adventure has set up its pole to the Latin quarter in the Hotel Oakland, where the arts and crafts of decorative work for the quarter that was so nobly begun a week ago. Among the artists who are coming over to set up little Bohemia in Oakland's heart are Maurice Del Mue, Harold von Schmidt, Goffredo Piazzone, Clark O'Brien, Emil Gross, Roy Kridler, Maryling other wars. The arguments are about thirty years old.

"We are endeavoring to attack the problem from a new angle. No one in the United States is willing to propose to repeat the mistakes of the past. We have adopted a 'Big Sister' program, good-natured and constructive, and we are working more on behalf of the woman by proposing to repeat the mistakes of the past. We have adopted a 'Big Sister' program, good-natured and constructive, and we are working more on behalf of the woman by providing her a chance than the man who preys upon her."

WOMEN LEAD IN PROPOSED LEGISLATION.

"I have not seen nor heard of this literature which is said to be distributed from Oakland in opposition to the bill providing an industrial farm for delinquent women," said Mrs. Carter today. "To charge that the military authorities, health authorities and women of the state are endeavoring to protect the men at the expense of the women is ridiculous. What we are trying to do above everything else is to save from vice and vice conditions those of our own sex who have lowered their standards. Ninety thousand sister women could not agree to go before a state legislature with a bill which condemned their own sex. That the western woman is leading in having deliberately planned such legislation as the war department proposes is shown by the present cooperation of our forces."

Mrs. Carter, who has been lining up her corps of workers in the bay cities preliminary to the campaign at Sacramento, leaves early tomorrow morning for the capital, where the Women's Legislative Council is maintaining headquarters during the session of the legislature.

FARM PLAN FOR SOLDIERS URGED

The building up of a state-wide organization to provide work for discharged soldiers was speeded at a meeting of the State Committee on Readjustment held in the Ferry building yesterday.

Adjutant General J. J. Borree, chairman of the committee, said today that the work was so well under way that there was assurance that there would be no lack of employment among men returning from the service. "There are plenty of jobs for men even at the present time," he said.

"It will be up to each community to take care of its own men," he said. "This will be impressed upon those communities. In each community employment clearing houses are being formed. In some instances they are the former draft boards."

In addition a check upon labor needs in different parts of the state with a view to equalizing supply and demand will be kept. Construction of all kinds, public and private, is to be advanced. We expect to have our organization complete within two weeks."

The committee approved the Standard plan for community farm financing and requested the California Development Board to continue its promotion of the system.

This is an emergency measure for providing funds to persons having no banking credit, and is intended to produce farm production. Those in a community having credit lend their credit to farmers having no banking security. These underwriters elect five trustees who pass upon all applications for loans.

Security is given by the borrowers, who also give their note at a reasonable rate of interest, established by the underwriters. The underwriters endorse the notes, place them in banks and give instructions to the banks to pay out from time to time such sums as the borrowers may require. It has been arranged that these notes will be discounted by the Federal Reserve bank.

CABRILLO GRAVE IS HUNTED OFF SANTA BARBARA

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 25.—Search for the grave of Juan Rodriguez Cabrillo, hardy Portuguese explorer, who was the first European to gaze upon California's sunny shores, with perhaps a hunt for buried treasure Sir Francis Drake forgot, has brought J. P. Moore from Florida to San Miguel Island.

Moore owns San Miguel, which is one of the group of romantic islands off the Santa Barbara county coast.

He has spent the last week in preliminary exploration.

"According to history and partly to legend, died at sea and his body was buried on an island of the Santa Barbara group, believed to be San Miguel."

BODY OF MISSING PAINTER IN BAY

The body of Amilcare Borghesi, decorative painter of Oakland and San Francisco, who, following the ruin of his home by fire February 13, left his wife and baby in a day street basement in San Francisco, disappeared, was found in the bay today by Dominic Crespi, a fisherman.

Clement Zulberti, assistant cashier of the Oakland branch, Bank of Italy, a friend of the painter, made investigations at the time of the painter's disappearance and learned from a watchman that he had been seen walking in the direction of the bay. Bay street is near the bay.

Borghesi who lived in San Francisco, was doing decorative work in Oakland at the time. He had done decorative work on the San Francisco city hall and on the exposition buildings.

Three days before his disappearance he had met Zulberti here and according to Zulberti, talked so rationally that the latter spoke to the painter. It was about the financial difficulties seemed to be worrying him.

On the night of February 13 his house in San Francisco was gutted by fire. He took his wife to the day street basement and disappeared. She was found there about midnight unable to say how she had come there or where her husband was. For several days her mind was a blank. Friends took care of her.

BETTER PRINTING IN PAPERS URGED

Improvement in the art of printing was urged by John Henry Nash of San Francisco, known as the "Printer of millionaires," in a talk at the luncheon of the advertising club of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce in the Hotel Oakland today.

The occasion was known as "Printers' Modern Day" and Nash spoke on "Good and Bad Printing." He said in part:

"It is about time we eliminated the 'wet wash' system of printing and got down to a basis of high-class work. There is an abundance of room for improvement of the typographical and mechanical end of printing. This not only applies to books and job work in all its branches but should apply with equal effect to newspapers."

"I hope that the time is not far distant when Oakland's leading newspaper and San Francisco's leading daily will put out model publications typographically. Such enterprise on the part of a few newspapers would result in improvement all along the line. All printing should be dignified and done in a manner that it will not only appeal to those who see it, but will reflect credit on the man who puts it out. Some of the profit made in printing should be eliminated if necessary in the interest of improved typographical appearance."

W. H. Crocker Seeks Return of \$11,980.82

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—William H. Crocker, banker and millionaire, brought action today in the United States District Court to have returned to him \$11,980.82, alleged to have been paid as income tax in excess of the amount that should have been paid. Crocker sets forth that in 1913, when the tax in question was paid, he was assessed on \$153,710.10 and that he should have been assessed on \$132,112.89, and that as a matter of fact, he lost in the year in question \$231,388.56 "in trade."

Garcia Is Held for Stealing Harris Auto

Manuel Garcia, charged with stealing an automobile belonging to Myron Harris, deputy district attorney, was held to answer to the superior court by Police Judge Samuel this morning.

Garcia went to the garage where the car was kept, and telling the man in charge that it belonged to his father, drove it out and went to Arizona, where he was arrested and later returned to this city.

SPANISH I. W. W. PLANT SUSPECTED

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—What federal authorities believe may be a plot of the Spanish I. W. W. members of which were arrested recently in the east, following the discovery of an alleged plot to assassinate President Wilson, was revealed here yesterday with the arrest by Harry M. Moffitt of the Secret Service of Paul Adeno, alias Onodchenko, of 311 Sixth street.

The principal complaint against Adeno, who is a Russian, is that he has made by him that "Well, Gemenchou has been shot," President Wilson will, when he arrives at Boston, and they will not be fresh wounds, either."

A membership list of the "Golden Russer" club, dated November, 1917, with the address of the local headquarters, 1236 Market street, was found in Adeno's pocket. This number is the address of the Jack London Memorial Library, which has been raided a number of times by Captain J. J. O'Meara of the neutrality squad.

Adeno has been the center six years; he is not an American citizen and has not made application for naturalization papers.

Sues Divorced Wife for Return of \$650

"For the smile that she gave to you" might be the title of a popular song inspired by the suit of Mrs. Danielson against her divorced wife, Bertha Danielson and Frank Koski, being heard by Judge Everett J. Brown today. Danielson is suing for the return of \$650 he alleges his wife gave to Koski prior to their divorce.

Sometime ago Danielson found Koski with his wife late at night near their Berkeley home and employed a neighbor at him, three of the "hot" taking effect in Koski's body. He was tried for attempted murder and acquitted. Then he sued his wife for divorce, alleging her relations with Koski, and received a decree and custody of the children. Now he wants the money back.

Burglary Suspect Is Held by Police

Arthur Shupp, alias Arthur L. Stewart, who was arrested Sunday morning by the Berkeley Patrol and taken to the city jail, is believed by police to be implicated in the numerous burglaries that have occurred in the city within the last week.

An investigation shows that he was arrested in Los Angeles for burglary last August, was committed to the Eastern insane asylum and later escaped. He is a clever crook and not an insane man, say the police.

When arrested he threw away a gold monogrammed monette chain. He had a pair of shears, a flashlight and \$25 in his possession, for which he has not accounted. Shupp was passing in the vicinity of Market avenue and Lake-shore drive when arrested.

Wilson Endorsement Dropped in Committee

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 25.—The way was cleared for discussion on the floor of the assembly of the constitution proposed by the league of nations when the foreign relations committee today recommended adoption of a resolution offered by Assemblyman Winden.

The committee eliminated a clause endorsing the work of President Wilson and substituted another approving of "the principle of a constitution of a league of nations as projected by the representatives of the United States at the Paris peace conference."

Council to Collect Back Wharf Tolls

Steps toward collecting outstanding dockage and wharfage tolls, which, according to a complaint made by Auditor Fred Le Ballister several weeks ago, were listed as city assets but never collected, were taken today by the city council. On the motion of Commissioner Soderberg the city attorney was instructed to take steps to enforce collections.

The tolls and dockage had not been paid. It was said, pending a legal fight over some of the bills.

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GERMANY'S ECONOMIC CONDITION.

During the progress of the war it was possible only to make a rough estimate of the German war debt. Germany floated loans the amounts of which called for were known, but it was never possible to believe the reports of subscriptions. Neither was it definitely known to what extent the Hohenzollern government floated its paper notes.

The doubt about Germany's general financial condition was partly cleared up recently by the statement of Dr. Schiffer, the finance minister before the constitutional assembly at Weimar. Dr. Schiffer announced that the indebtedness of the German central government totaled over \$33,000,000,000. This covers war loans only. The amount of bank bills in circulation is \$10,875,000,000 and the treasury notes \$1,500,000,000. Thus the domestic obligations of the German government is upwards of \$46,000,000,000.

This is a tidy sum and ought to convince the German people that the war has been somewhat costly and that wherever the responsibility rests it is not a light responsibility. That the people are beginning to realize the seriousness of their predicament is evidenced by the printing of official statements in the newspapers. Thus Herr August Muller, one of the Socialists who held office under Hertling, and now the Secretary of State in charge of economic construction, published the statement that Germany was as poor as she was after the thirty years war.

Naturally German statements must be accepted with reserve. Financial capacity of the individual today is not quite as low as it was at the close in the thirty years war, and Herr Muller probably has two ways of explaining his statement—one for the advertisers of Germany and one for the people at home. But he does recognize one fact very clearly when he says that Germany has lost her world market and cannot recover it under the old conditions. His manner of summing up the trade situation is interesting. He writes, according to the *Berliner Tageblatt*:

"1. The Latent countries, and especially England and America, have both struck deadly blows at German competition as such, and, after sweeping away a great deal of red tape, have reconstructed their industrial methods on the most modern basis.

"2. Such German monopolies as Germany had are being menaced or even destroyed. Germany is losing the polach in Alsace-Lorraine, and has lost the metal monopoly which 'in the hands of three German firms practically embraced the whole world.'

"3. The Anglo-Saxon monopolies have the tremendous advantage of testing upon actual possession of certain raw materials, whereas the German monopolies were really based upon treaties 'laboriously acquired.'

"4. The leading Latent countries will be able more or less to duplicate the German prices of raw materials.

"5. America and other countries will now tend to export manufactured goods instead of raw materials—not cotton but textile goods, and not iron but machinery.

"6. Germany will have to reckon with a 'deliberate enemy' will to exclude Germany as far as possible from the world market."

This represents the world situation with reference to German trade pretty much as it is and as it ought to be. The Allies have it in their power to make Herr Muller's dismal outlook come true. If they do thus they will accomplish something toward settling the score of German outrages.

THE SOUTH ON SUFFRAGE

The effort to submit to the States for ratification the national suffrage amendment was defeated by the South. Of the eighteen Democratic Senators who voted against it all except two—Hitchcock of Nebraska and Pomeroy of Ohio—represent Southern States.

Senator Williams of Mississippi declares that he is in favor of extending the suffrage to women if some way can be devised to confine the privilege to white women, but that he cannot lend his support to a measure that would enable colored women to vote. It is assumed that he would have

this explanation apply to the general Southern attitude.

This might be an argument deserving of consideration were it not for the fact that the colored vote in the South is not permitted to figure in election results. Already in some States it about equals the white vote, and there must be instances where it actually exceeds it; but this is never allowed to count if it is important to Southern political interests that it should not.

So that any increase of the colored vote cannot greatly matter. Besides, it is but fair to presume that increase of the colored vote through colored women voting would be offset by the increase of the white vote through white women voting.

But it has always been understood that the South is against woman suffrage on general principles, and it has been represented that the women themselves are not in favor of it, or at least indifferent to it. In that view, an explanation that the South bases its opposition on a fear of the negro vote is not entirely convincing.

A national campaign impends. In fourteen States women already have the franchise. It is probably recognized that the Southern attitude on suffrage will be remembered at voting time, and that an alibi is desirable. It looks as though this explanation of the Southern opposition to universal suffrage is an attempt to establish that alibi.

A PSYCHOPATHIC HOSPITAL.

One of the measures before the legislature which is certain to receive serious consideration is the bill proposing the establishment of a State psychopathic hospital. A campaign of education in the needs of such a subject has been carried on for several years by leaders in social welfare work and there is an indication that the importance of such a hospital in the system of public service institutions of the State has been recognized to a sufficient extent to result in enabling legislation.

Among the interests which have endorsed and which are actively working for the passage of the psychopathic hospital law are the State Commission on Lunacy, the California Society for Mental Hygiene, the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Dr. F. W. Hatch, general superintendent of State hospitals, and Chief of Police Vollmer of Berkeley, perhaps the best-known advocate of prison reform in the country.

The object of the psychopathic hospital is to study and prescribe the proper treatment for subnormal persons, whose responsibility for crimes is often successfully questioned and who are thrown back upon the community; of persons mentally unbalanced by external causes and who often may be cured, and to provide for both classes a place of segregation and examination before the afflicted are permanently sentenced to the State communities of the insane. Two important results are expected to follow such treatment: the keeping of the population of the asylums within present figures, if not to bring about a reduction, and to provide for the courts information essential in the proper disposition of cases wherein the mentality of the accused is questioned.

An actual saving might be effected through the expenditure of the \$200,000 it is proposed to appropriate for the establishment of the new institution—a saving which would be reflected in the decrease of the population of the prisons and asylums, in protection to the public and in the doing away with fees for "experts" in court cases. But the greater justification is the obligation to do everything possible for afflicted humanity. The psychopathic hospital has been established in Massachusetts and other States and has proved successful.

The mask controversies in California have attracted attention and provoked discussion in various parts of the country. It is because two large communities so near together adopted opposite policies—San Francisco masking and Oakland refusing to do so. The *Christian Science Monitor* comments: "The result has been a complete vindication of the position taken by the people and the City Council of Oakland. While the people of San Francisco were forced to wear masks or be arrested and fined, as many of them were, and while the San Francisco authorities declare that the wearing of masks caused the decline in the so-called epidemic, the experience of Oakland completely disproves the contention of the San Francisco Board of Health, for the reason that the disturbance in Oakland where the masks were not worn declined at the same time and in the same degree that it did in San Francisco." But the fact still remains that no determination that convinces everybody has been had as to whether masks do or do not.

February 15th was the seventy-fourth birthday of Elihu Root, eminent American. He was a distinguished Secretary of War under President McKinley, and a most able Secretary of State under Roosevelt. Roosevelt is credited with having referred in turn to several members of his cabinet as being especially fitted for their particular portfolios, but he characterized Root as being able to fill any of them. In point of ability and patriotism it would be conceded that Root would make an ideal president; but in the turn that things have taken in these later years the claim would be made that he lacks in availability—in not having been complainant as to some of those things that have been done.

NOTES and COMMENT

What the hapless consumer finds it impossible to understand is why anything edible or drinkable should be advancing in price now. The world understands that it is all over.

"Germans will go back to princes of Hohenzollern, experts predict." Which is correct. They will not have to go back. They have been there all the time. All this about house-frau Liebert doing her own work, in the German White House is the most transparent bunk. The Germans want the Kaiser thing.

It is becoming apparent that the terms of peace have not been as promptly decided upon as would have been for the best. It was a situation that demanded short, sharp and decisive work. The Germans have had too much time to plot and determine on ways to wriggle into an elusive attitude.

Assassinations have been so general that the law-abiding people of the earth will soon have to make common cause against the assassin. When vermin get too obnoxious other tasks are dropped till they are exterminated. That is the way it is likely to be with anarchists.

Great outlook for crops this year. The rainfall already exceeds the normal. The farmer with a big wheat area must be elated, considering the weather, the guaranteed price and everything.

The man who wants to dig up somebody's sidewalk on a hunch that there is buried gold there is making it an official matter. He has applied to the authorities for permission. So far no ordinance has been found which bears on the case.

The official count sets the Turkish loss at a million men. If it were not unfeeling it might be said there is quite a sufficient supply left, but it is always good form to be "feeling."

It is news that before the war Germany was the second nation in the matter of soap. Hostilities disrupted her from that position, and now this country has her opportunity. Yankee soap will now be given a chance to cleanse the world instead of that made in Germany.

Senator Borah gets a rise. When he advocates submitting the league of nations proposition to popular vote, expressing faith in the "voice of the people," Mrs. Dillner Carlisle, chairman of the National Woman's party, doubts his sincerity. Senator Borah voted "no" on the suffrage amendment.

Honey's visit this time is a popular errand. He comes to plead a case in the Federal Court involving the famous Dunkley peach people, wherein a device used by nearly all fruit packers is claimed to be an infringement and royalties demanded. It is different from running for governor and will attract more adherents.

Hard-headed farmers thwarted the project of sowing poppies in Canada, suggested by the government as a measure to do honor to Colonel McCrae, author of "In Flanders Fields." In poetry the poppy is fine, but in agriculture it is represented to be too much like the morning glory.

THE STATE PRESS.

Mayville, long a candidate for a federal building in which to house its postoffice, reports progress. The lower house of Congress favors an appropriation of \$100,000 for such building. Napa might have been in the prospective federal building swim here but for the past that our navigation interests are of most importance. Secure river improvements first—Napa Register.

Now that Luther Burbank has perfected a square tree, Gabe Hackenschack, the East San Diego inventor, intends to go Mr. Burbank one better. Gabe is at work in the hope of producing a square pea that will not roll off the knife—San Diego Union.

Senator Phelan's proposal to enlarge the boundaries of the Sequoia National Park and to change its name to Roosevelt National Park has developed into quite a live local issue among the upper San Joaquin valley counties. And, as might be expected, those taking the keenest interest in the passage or the defeat of the bill have recently been at stake. The sheep men, the cattle men and the lumber and power interests are opposing the measure because they see in the move to include the wonderfully scenic Kings and Kern river canyons in the park a possible withdrawal of grazing, lumbering and power privileges—Stockton Record.

It is probably not a fact that the packers are behind the bill proposing to cut down the support of farm bureaus. The packers have been under hard fire of late. The federal trade commission and Prosecutor Heney have had them on the defensive. They will nevertheless bear close watching, as they are well organized to control the preserved food supplies of the nation—Chicago Enterprise.

General N. P. Chipmunk, presiding justice of the third district Court of Appeal, has moved from his residence to the courtroom at the state capital the desk which he occupied as a member of Congress in 1871-75. The desk, and the up-hoisted chair in which the general sat when representing the District of Columbia in the lower house, are now used by the law officer of the District Court—Sacramento Union.

GATHERING THE SAP



DANZIG—A POLISH SEAPORT?

Danzig, which Prince Lichnowsky has just announced Germany will strive to retain, which Poland looks to as her coveted outlet to the Baltic, and which Poland leaders aver they will fight for, if need be, is the subject of a bulletin issued by the Washington headquarters of the National Geographic Society. "Picture a far north Venice, cut through with streams and canals, equipped also with a sort of irrigation system to flood the country for miles about, not for cultivation but for defense, a city of typical Philadelphia streets, only with those long rows of stoops made of stone and highly decorated, and jutting into the roadway instead of on the sidewalk, and you catch but a glimpse of the composite Danzig," the bulletin states. "As a city of churches Danzig vies with Brooklyn, its crooked, winding streets suggest those Boston thoroughfares of cowpath derivation, and were its grain warehouse more modern the visitor might believe himself in Minneapolis. Minneapolis, that is, until he heard their names—such names as Golden Field, Little Ship, Gray Goose and Milk Maid—then he might look about for some popular resort of New York's Greenwich Village. "In no other German city is mediaeval architecture to be found in such variety and preservation as in Danzig. Conspicuous both in Polish and German history, Danzig was one of the four principal centers of the Hanseatic League, while not far up the Vistula is Marienburg, capital of the Teutonic Order of Knights, which flourished in Danzig. "Physically, Danzig escaped many effects of the reformation. Even in her famous St. Mary's Church, one of the largest Protestant edifices in the world, covering an area as great as the Cathedral of Notre Dame in Paris, are to be found reliquaries and manuscripts, embroideries of Roman, Byzantine and Gothic designs, treasures in precious metals, stones and ivories and a noted collection of vestments. Among its art works is the famous 'Last Judgment' of Hans Memling. "In appearance almost as much like a fortress as a church, bringing to mind Luther's militant hymn, 'A Mighty Fortress is Our God,' the church has been called 'Germany's most German things in one.' In many ways it suggests the Prussian militaristic spirit. From the vaulting, for example, projects one of Napoleon's cannon balls. "But the Danzinger needs no indirect intimation of militarism. The city was one of the most strongly fortified places in the now shattered German empire. With Königsberg, Thorn and Posen, Danzig helped form a mighty chain of fortifications. To the east and south of the city older defenses were supplemented in recent years by a score of bastions. Along the Vistula, at which the city lies, to its mouth at Neufahrwasser, four miles away, stretches a line of forts. In addition, three sides of the town could be inundated by the garrison. "Streets are lined with ornate old houses of the Hanseatic period, crowned with high gables, often projecting balconies. Balconies overhang the streets and in spite of the impediment they offer to traffic, many of the elevated stone porches remain Gargoyles grin from ancient walls. Vistas abound. There are many old water gates. One of these, the Hobe Tor, is fashioned after a Roman arch. Another, the Kran projecting farther than the one below, looks like the leaning tower of Pisa. "Danzig's beginnings are not known. Poland, Denmark, Pomerania and Brandenburg held it at various early times. In the fourteenth century it came under the sway of the Teutonic Knights. Not long afterward it became one of the four centers of the league. With the decline of the league it allied itself with Poland, retaining most of its rights as a free city. It had a flag derived from the red and white emblem of the league, employing the red as a field upon which

What is doing TO-NIGHT.

Civil Service Board meets, City Hall
Merchants' Exchange meets
Allendale Improvement Club meets, Mutual Hall
Garfield Civic Association meets, Twenty-third avenue branch library
Old Guard meets, City Hall
Adelphi Club meets, Alameda
Prof. William Ernest Hocking lectures, First Congregational Church, Berkeley
Berkeley Chamber of Commerce banquet, Hotel Shattuck, Berkeley
Abbot Invidia gives dance
Loyal East and Corps meet, Memorial hall
Prof. Charles Mills Gailley gives reading, 11 Wheeler hall, U C
William W. Carruth gives organ recital, The Abbey
Irish-American League meets, Enterprise hall
Pacific Service Employees' Association meets, Ebell hall
Orpheum—Bert Baker & Co.
Fulton—"Such a Little Queen"
Ye Liberty—"Cook or the Walk"
Pantages—Kira
T & D—Mabel Normand
American—William Farnum
Kinema—William Faversham
Franklin—"The Way of a Man with a Maid"
Columbia—"Maid in America"
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If these muscle fibres are lazy or neglected they become pale, fat and flabby through a want of oxygen from the surrounding lymph and blood. On the other hand, by exercise, athletics, dancing and skating the muscle tissue increases in size and number, its containing sac is strengthened, the fibrous wall is invigorated, and fresh power, like an electric spark, is imparted to the bag which holds the entire muscle.

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The export figure announced for January is \$623,000,000, as against a total of \$566,000,000 for December and \$505,000,000 for January of last year. Only twice before have exports reached the \$600,000,000 mark. During the seven months of the fiscal year ended with January

the exports totaled \$2,788,000,000, as compared with \$3,450,000,000 of the corresponding period of the previous year.

The value of imports in January was \$212,000,000, as compared with \$211,000,000 in December and \$234,000,000 in January, 1918. For the seven months ended with January

imports totaled \$1,698,000,000, which is a slight gain over the \$1,634,000,000 for the similar period of the previous year.

The excess of exports over imports in January was \$410,000,000, an impressive total when it is remembered that the excess of exports for the entire fiscal year 1914, the

last normal year, was only \$470,000,000. The imports of gold amounted to \$14,000,000 for the seven months ended with January, against \$79,000,000 last year. Exports totaled \$13,000,000 for the same period, as compared with \$173,000,000 in 1918.

96 \$41,000,000 for the seven months,
or practically the same as for the
previous year. Exports amounted

to \$179,000,000, as against \$52,000,000 for the corresponding seven months of the fiscal year 1913.

Wm. J. Bryan Shows

Improved Condition
WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Reports that former Secretary of State William Jennings Bryan was seriously ill here were denied last night by his friends. They explained that Bryan had been suffering from a cold, but that his condition was very much improved.

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, Feb. 25.—Bulls in the corn market today made some progress, owing to reports that much land usually devoted to corn would be planted to

Spring wheat. Besides, reports from Buenos Aires said shipping there was still tied up. Opening prices, which ranged from $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ to $\frac{1}{4}$ ¢ higher, with May at $\$1.24\frac{1}{2}$ and July $\$1.19\frac{1}{2}$ to $\$1.20$, were followed by a slight reaction, and then by a fresh advance.

Subsequent buying on the part of Eastern shorts carried the market sharply up grade. When this demand

was exhausted, however, something of a reaction ensued.

The close was unsettled, $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ to $\frac{3}{4}$ ¢ net higher, with May \$1.25 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ to \$1.26, and July \$1.21 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢ to \$1.21 $\frac{3}{4}$ ¢.

Oats hardened with corn. After opening $\frac{1}{4}$ ¢ higher, the market scored a slight further gain.

Weakness in the hog market had a bearish influence on provisions.

... Corn—No. 6, yellow, \$1.33; No. 4, yellow,
low, \$1.27; @ 1.31; No. 5, yellow, \$1.27;
1.28.
... Bye—No. 2, \$1.42; @ 1.44.
... Barley, 8c; @ 8c. Timothy, \$7.00@
100 10.00. Clover, nominal.
... The close:
... Corn—May, \$1.25 7/8; July, \$1.21 1/2.
28 Oct.—May, 59 3/4; July, 58 1/2 c.
30 Pick—May, \$4.70; July, \$3.75.
30 and—May, \$2.75; July, \$2.52.

**BUTTER-EGGS
CHEESE**

Prices quoted below are selling prices from

25	the jobber to the retailer, established daily			
29	for butter, eggs and cheese, by the San Fran-			
31 1/2	cisco Wholesale Dairy Produce Exchange:			
..	grades—	Feb. 21	Feb. 24	Feb. 27
..	Said cubes	54 1/2c	54c	55c
..	First—	52c	53c	52c
7 1/2	Extra fancy packed cartons 1c above quota-			
70	tions.			
13 1/2	Eggs, per dozen—	Feb. 21	Feb. 24	Feb. 27
3/4	First extra	40c	40c	41c

350	French extra pullers.....	25c	36c	37c
36	Orange-New California flats, per			lb. old
37c	style, fancy; do flats, 20c; new			Oregon
38	Trinidad, fancy, 35c; Oregon			Young Amer-
72	bas, 41c.			

Local Produce

San Leandro rhubarb advanced 25 cents a
box today and Los Angeles lettuce increased
slightly in price. Carrots are commanding 25
cents a sack more than they brought yester-
day. Dutch beans show a slight decline
and white and sugar corn are higher and
unchanged. Sales of apples are reported to be
somewhat scant and oranges are moving
slowly.

There has been no change in the poultry
market for several days. Small hens are the

best of sales of all chickens. Turkey, geese
and duck sales are about normal.
Citrus fruit—Oranges, fancy, \$4.25@4.50,
according to size; choice, \$1@4.25, according
to size.
Lemons—Sunkist, \$4.50@5; others, \$3.50@4.
4 according to size.
1—cans—\$3.60@3.50, according to quality.
Grapefruit—Sunkist, \$2.75@3; choice,
\$2.50@2.75.
Tangerines—\$2.25@2.25 n box.

Apples—Yellow Newtown, Pippins, 3 1/2 doz. 1.00
100 lbs. \$2.75; 250 lbs. 4 1/2 doz. \$2.75; 3 doz. Oregon Bee
Dais, \$2.75; 3 doz. 1 box.
Pears—Winter Nellis, \$2 @ 2.25 a box; Glout-
mercan, \$2 @ 2.25 a lug.
Tropical fruit—Central American and Hono-
lulu bananas, 10 per lb; cucumbers, nominal;
peaches, nominal.
Mushrooms—Lima, 40 doz. 1 box.
Liver potatoes—Shima Red Pears, \$2.25 @
2 doz. per cwt.; Neversus, \$2 1/2 @ 2 1/2; Early Rose

seed potatoes, \$2.60/3 per cwt.; Idaho, \$2.60 per cwt.; Sweet potatoes—\$2.65/25 per cwt.; Onions—flavors, \$2.25/25 per cwt.; Oregon, \$2.60/25 per cwt.; New garlic—40% 60c.; Cucumbers—Santa Cruz hothouse, \$3.20 per box; Tomatoes—Mexican, \$3.75/3 a box; Oregon, \$2.60/3 per bunch, \$7.50/3 crates; California, \$4.00/3 a box; Idaho, \$4.00/3 a box; Washington, \$3.50/3, net box; San

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 Radishes - 4.5¢ 20c a dozen.
 Bell peppers - Southern, 35¢ 40c a lb.
 Green peas - Southern, 12½¢ 15c a lb.

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	52¢@50c.
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75	75c; banders, 11¢; blue and black, 48¢@50c; medium
76	fruits, 30¢@35c; young roosters, over 3 lbs.,
77	31¢@35c; stumpy roosters, 30¢@32c; old roosters,
78	21¢@25c.
382	Jackies—(White) fat, 32¢@35c; greens, fat,
	36¢@37c; lise turkeys, No. 1 young, 25¢@36c;
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Pherson, chief secretary for Ireland,
land, declared in outlining the gov-
ernment's Irish policy before the
conference of representatives of
Irish municipal associations here-
late yesterday.

"A grant of £250,000 (\$1,250,000)
has already been made to meet the
immediate needs of demobilized men
and others," said MacPherson. "The
housing situation in Ireland is ap-
palling. The government will con-
tinue its housing program, including
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JOHN A. HILL,
Administrator of the estate of Henry W. Davis, deceased.

Dated at Oakland, California, February 24, 1919.

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Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Arthur M. Hobbs, deceased, to all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file the same with the undersigned first publication of this notice, either in person, with the necessary vouchers, or by mail, to the undersigned, at the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County ofameda, or to John A. Hill, Public Administrator, at Room 602, Syndicate Building, 1000 Broadway, New York City, New York, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.
JOHN A. HILL,
Administrator of the estate of Arthur M. Hobbs, deceased.
Dated at Oakland, California, February 24, 1919.
WILLIAM ALLEN SULLIVAN, Attorney.

First publication: March 1, 1919.
NO. 2521, Dept. 4.
NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Mary E. Smith, also known as Mary E. Smith, deceased, that all persons having claims against the said deceased to, within four months after the date of the date of the death of the said deceased, shall present the same to them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, for the County of Alameda, or exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to, at the office of the undersigned administrator, at the County of Alameda, 603 Syndicate Building, Oakland, California, which place the undersigned administrator has selected for all matters connected with said estate.
ENOS B. SMITH
Administrator of the Estate of Mary E. Smith, also known as Mary E. Smith, deceased.

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business, as may come before the
 ANGLUS CLARK,
 Assistant Secretary of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.
 Given under my hand and the seal of the said Chamber of Commerce, this 15th day of February, 1913.
 Principal office, room 316, number 2138
 Grace street, San Francisco, California.

**NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING
 WILL, ETC.**

In the Superior Court of the County
 of San Francisco, State of California,
 in and to the estate of James
 M. Leach, deceased.
 Notice of time set for proving will
 and for the settlement of the estate.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition
 for the probate of the will of James
 M. Leach, deceased, for and in behalf
 of the estate of the said James
 M. Leach, deceased, was filed for and
 in favor of William F. Woods and John
 C. Philipp, of letters testamentary
 in and to the estate of the said James
 M. Leach, deceased, on the 26th day of Feb-
 ruary, A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock A. M.,
 in the Superior Court of the County
 of San Francisco, State of California,
 in and to the estate of the said
 James M. Leach, deceased, at the
 settlement No. 4, of said court, at the

Court House in the City of Oakland,
California, and the undersigned has been
for the hearing of said petition, and in
proving said will, when and where any
witnesses are called upon to appear and con-
fess the same.

Dated: February 13th, 1913.

By W. F. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.

NOTICE OF NON-RESPONSIBILITY.
I, the undersigned, have bought the
rights remaining in the said will of the
deceased, and I am not responsible for
in no way responsible for any debts
or obligations contracted thereon by
the said deceased. All suits thereon
must be presented on or before Febru-
ary 17, 1913.

(Signed) T. ISRAEL.

My wife, Anna E. Nelson, having lost
her mind and heard, I will not be re-
sponsible for any bills contracted by
her and after this 25th day of Feb-
ruary, 1913.

(Signed) FRED C. NELSON, JR.

START ACTION TO PUT BOYLE OUT OF OFFICE

Action in the city council, looking toward the removal from office of School Director Harry L. Boyle, is the next step in the fight over the director's office. The fight started with the election by other members of the board that, as a public service corporation employee, Boyle was ineligible to city office under the terms of the city charter.

Options from the city attorney and district attorney, setting forth that the city council must under the law remove the school director from office, were filed with the city clerk yesterday. The council today, together with a certificate showing that Boyle for many years past has been in the employ of the San Francisco-Oakland Terminal Railroad. These options were read last night at a stormy meeting of the board of education, when Boyle alleged that he was the victim of a "political plot," and demanded the name of the man who had asked the employing company for information about him. Boyle also attempted to have his statement stricken from the minutes of last week, in which he said that former Director George Randolph had "violated the penal code." The record was allowed to stand. Boyle admitted making the statement but claimed that he corrected it later. No other member or official present could bear him out in this contention.

OPINIONS ARE SIMILAR.

The opinions of City Attorney H. L. Hagan and Deputy District Attorney T. P. Wittschen were identical in their fight. Both attorneys held that Boyle was ineligible to serve. Wittschen pointed out that the matter should be placed before the city council for removal proceedings under the law, but that until actually removed Boyle might sit with the board.

Following the reading of these opinions, copies were ordered sent to the city auditor and city clerk at once.

Former Director George Randolph started the "fireworks" when he rose to refute Boyle's charge of last week that he had "violated the penal code." Randolph demanded that this portion of the minutes be read and asked that he be allowed to brand the statement as untrue. He did not refer to Boyle by name, but to a "certain director."

"Whom do you mean?" demanded Boyle.

Randolph, addressing W. H. Edwards, chairman pro tem, replied that he "did not wish to enter an argument with any member of the board."

MEANT "POLITICAL CODE."

Boyle then attempted to have the record expunged.

"I said penal code but I meant political code," he said. "I meant that as an official of the United Iron Works, Randolph had accepted contributions from the city, not legal under the state law, I corrected this statement at once. Maybe the stenographer made a mistake. I admit I said penal code but I meant political."

The stenographer read the shorthand notes, in which the word "penal" was used, and denied that she made a mistake. The secretary and several members of the board said that they positively remembered Boyle's using the word "penal," and that he did not correct it.

"Well, then, I want you to put in the minutes of this meeting that I say I meant political and I say I corrected it," said Boyle.

WILL FIGHT REMOVAL.

Boyle says that despite the legal opinions in the case, he will run for office again, probably against Commissioner W. H. Edwards, and that he will fight removal from the school board.

This charter provision is absurd, he said, and the people ought to know when they want on a school board. This charter would oust any teacher owning stock in a public service corporation or in any firm which ever sold a nickel's worth of goods to the city. I am

Red Cross Shop Is Averaging Clear Profit of \$100 Every Day Under Women's Direction



A group of women who give their time to the Red Cross Shop on Thursdays. (From left to right), MRS. W. H. MORRISON, MRS. C. H. NEWTON, MRS. O. E. BARTLETT, MRS. C. J. YOUNGBERG, MRS. HENRY HANSON and MRS. E. O. EDGERTON.

TWO INJURED IN COLLISION

Ernest Le Gros, 1850 Willow street, is at Providence hospital with a fractured skull as the result of a collision between his automobile and a Key Route train at Twelfth and Willow streets late yesterday afternoon. He was driving a machine for Sang Sang & Company, Chinese luncheon, when Myrtle Le Gros drove into the side of the passing train. Louis Rodriguez, sitting in the seat beside Le Gros, was thrown to the pavement but not seriously hurt.

Mrs. I. W. Love, 2059 University place, Berkeley, was in the train with her 19-month-old daughter, Edith. They were thrown from their seat and the child's arm was broken. Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Martin, 625 Bush street, San Francisco, were also thrown from their seat in the train and slightly injured.

Le Gros and the child were treated at the receiving hospital. Le Gros was later removed to Providence, where it is not known whether or not he will recover, and the child was taken to his home.

State Insurance Is Sought by Godsil

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 25.—A bill to make California a general insurance company is to be introduced in a few days by Assemblyman Godsil of San Francisco. His home rule bill, the Mission states Godsil, want the bill put through, to take a fall out of the high-priced old line fire insurance concerns. The bill is being drafted by none other than the industrial accident insurance act, better known as the workmen's compensation law. It will include practically all kinds of insurance risks.

SOLDIER ADMITTED TO BAR.

Thomas T. Califo, a discharged soldier from Oakland, was admitted yesterday on motion before the District Court of Appeal, to practice law in California. Califo was originally admitted to the Nevada bar while in the service of the government. Before entering the army Califo was a member of the legal advisory board of San Francisco.

Legal standing on the board, Boyle says that if he is ineligible for office again, probably against Commissioner W. H. Edwards, and that he will fight removal from the school board.

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Women Workers Tell of Good Things That Cast-Off Materials Can Accomplish

The Red Cross Shop has gradually assumed all the characteristics of a "regular store." The articles of sole interest to women—such as wearing apparel, jewelry and fancy articles of all kinds are sold by women in the basement where men's clothes and household goods are sold—the work is handled by men. The warehouse—wherein is stored all the junk of various kinds—in fact, old from magazines and newspapers—is under the management of Jack Matthews, who at stated times sells the junk, wholesale, to dealers.

All wearing apparel is furnished before it is sold. The last report from the shop showed that the business is averaging \$100 a day profit—which proves conclusively, say the women who sell the goods, that old gloves, old newspapers and old bird-cages need not be shooed, but can keep right on doing their bit even yet, while the boys are coming home. The picture shows a group of women who give their time to the shop on Thursdays, under the leadership of Mrs. Youngberg. Mrs. W. H. Morrison, Mrs. C. H. Newton, Mrs. O. E. Bartlett, Mrs. C. J. Youngberg, Mrs. Henry Hanson and Mrs. E. O. Edgerton.

TELL OF PLOT TO POISON OFFICERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 25.—The arrival here of the liner Moana has only served to deepen the mystery of the deaths of Miss Nellie Isbister, Berkeley musical student, and Surgeon John Grimm, who died aboard the vessel on the high seas January 3 following their drinking of a lemon "squash."

Captain A. E. Barlow, the ship's master, has advanced the theory that their deaths were caused as a result of a plot to poison British officers on troopships by placing poison in the soda water they drank.

However, a chemical analysis of all bottled soda aboard the Moana failed to reveal any trace of poison in them. The analysis was made at Wellington. The ship's officers say there was no soda at Wellington from the same works that supplied troopships.

The remains of the dead drink were found to contain cyanide of potassium. The ship's officers say there was no way in which it could accidentally have been substituted for sugar. The steward, they say, was absolved of blame at the inquest.

The Moana's arrival here yesterday revealed the fact that both victims were buried at sea.

Grenade Is Used as Plaything; Four Dead

BRUSSELS, Feb. 25.—Four children are dead and twelve injured at Dwyllid, ten miles northwest of here, as a result of the explosion of a German hand grenade with which they were playing.

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MAN FOUND SANE; SENT TO PRISON

Frank "Red" Everett, who pleaded guilty to burglary after being returned to the county jail from which he escaped a month ago, was taken to San Quentin today to serve an indeterminate term of from one year to life. He pleaded guilty and asked to have an examination made of his skill to determine whether an operation would relieve the cause of his wrong-doing.

Dr. O. D. Hamilton, who made the examination, reported to Judge W. M. Conley, presiding in the criminal department, late yesterday, that the examination failed to show anything wrong with Everett's mentality.

Everett is wanted in San Francisco and Los Angeles for robbery. His wife, Grace Everett, is now in the county jail on a charge of smuggling opium to her husband.

The specific charge against Everett to which he pleaded guilty was that he and another man, who also pleaded guilty, held up a saloon near the Oakland water front. But in his admissions to the authorities, Everett told of having robbed seven homes in Oakland and twice that number in San Francisco. He served a former term in San Quentin.

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MANY HOUSES ARE NEEDED TO MEET INFUX

That home-building must be speeded if this city is to reap the full benefit that will accrue from the influx of a big population that is looking to Oakland as a future place of residence is the belief of the housing committee of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce.

Inquiries about Oakland from all parts of the United States are greater than ever before. Many small business men who have from \$5000 to \$15,000 to invest are seeking information through the Chamber of Commerce concerning the possibilities of this community. In addition to these, home-seekers, skilled workmen and others who are looking for a permanent home in an equable, healthful climate are writing for information pertaining to Oakland and the East-bay section.

"If we are to be prepared to take advantage of a big increase in population we must have more homes," said Harry Miller, secretary of the housing committee of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, "and I hope to see a big increase in home-building this year."

ARRIVALS DOUBLED.

Both hotels and apartment houses in this city are full to overflowing and the Chamber of Commerce has a long "waiting list." A big demand from other parts of the country for four, five and six-room cottages cannot be filled, owing to the present shortages of homes in this city, it is said.

Asked if there are as many visitors coming to Oakland now as in former years, C. W. Jurgens, manager of the Hotel Oakland, said:

"The number of strangers who are coming to Oakland has at least doubled over that of last year. For months the Oakland hotels have been taxed to their full capacity; in fact, in many cases it has been found impossible to meet the requirements on rush occasions. Many persons are interested in this city and its future possibilities, and are coming here to look into conditions. There is no doubt but that there is going to be a large influx of permanent home-seekers during the next few months. It is up to the people of Oakland to make preparation for a big increase in population."

EXPECT BIG PROGRESS.

It is the general impression among leading business men that there is great prosperity immediately at hand and that

ADMIRAL WILL TAKE BRIDE TO LOS GATOS HOME

PORTLAND, Feb. 25.—The marriage of Rear Admiral George C. Reiter, U. S. N., retired, and Mrs. Theresa M. Jackson of Eugene, Ore., will be celebrated in this city tomorrow afternoon. The ceremony will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Miller. Mrs. Jackson is a sister of Mrs. Miller.

After the honeymoon Admiral and Mrs. Reiter will occupy the admiral's California home, near Los Gatos.

Admiral Reiter is one of the most distinguished officers in naval service. He entered the naval academy at Annapolis in 1861, and of his more than forty years' service twenty were spent at sea. During the Spanish-American war he commanded the U. S. S. Panther in the blockade of Guantanamo and other Cuban ports. He was retired in 1907.

Since his retirement Admiral Reiter has passed most of his time in California.

San Leandro Man Wins War Honor

Private Allison W. Reid of 1237 Washington avenue, San Leandro, who is attached to A Company, Second Infantry, has been awarded the distinguished service cross for bravery in action. The citation issued by General Pershing reads:

"For extraordinary heroism in action near Medeah, France, France, October 8-9, 1918. Engaged as runner, Private Reid constantly carried messages through a sector which was under intense shell and machine gun fire and infested with sniper fire."

This city will make great strides along commercial and industrial lines during the next few years. It is conceded that the citizens of Oakland did not fully realize local capabilities until war conditions showed just what can be done if rightly-directed efforts are put forth. It is pointed out that as a result of the war and the consequent development here of the greatest shipbuilding industry in the world, Oakland has attracted favorable attention in all parts of the country.

With the Oakland Chamber of Commerce and other commercial and civic bodies working untiringly for a larger and commercially greater city, keen-sighted business men confidently expect greater progress during the present year than has been seen in any two years in the history of the city.

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—Black kid boots with cloth tops.
—Russia calf boots with fawn cloth tops.

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Sizes 8½ to 11—pair \$2.65

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—Solid leather; lace model; broad toes; sizes 8½ to 11½, pair.

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